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MODIFICATION OF ANGLO-JAP PACT TO BE DEFERRED

No Changes Contemplated
Until After Meeting Of
Dominion Heads

CHANGES ARE NECESSARY
Reports That New Draft Has
Been Drawn Branded
As Baseless

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 29.—Reuter's
Agency learns that reports regarding
the development of the Anglo-
Japanese Treaty of Alliance are
quite baseless, and that the ques-
tion has not yet been formally
raised by either Great Britain or
Japan. The statement that a new
draft treaty with certain modifica-
tions has been drawn up is a pure
fiction.

Japan, as well as Great Britain,
realizes the necessity for certain
modifications, in view of the re-
quirements of the League of Na-
tions Covenant, but the main fact
is that the British Dominions have
the fullest right to be considered,
and it is perfectly well known that
nothing whatever will be done
until the meeting of the Imperial
Conference in June next.

Federation Not To Be Discussed At Big Dominion Parley

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 29.—Inquiries
by Reuter in authoritative circles
disclose completely the sugges-
tion that the question of an im-
perial federation will be discus-
sed at the conference of Dominion
Prime Ministers to be held next
June. It appears to be fully
recognized that, even if a definite
constitution for the Empire found
favor in Great Britain—which is
by no means certain—the opposi-
tion to it in the Dominions would
be such as to rule out even the
hint of a concrete proposal.

Thousand Houses Lost In Tokio Fire

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)
New York, March 29.—The
following message has been re-
ceived here from Tokyo: "The
worst fire for a decade imperiled
the city tonight. It destroyed a
thousand houses in the north-
west district, caused injuries to
133 persons and rendered thou-
sands homeless. The loss is esti-
mated at \$1,250,000. The build-
ings destroyed include three hospi-
tals, banks, and several large
business houses.

10 Killed By Bomb In Chicago Riot

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 30.—According
to a telegram from New York, ten
persons have been killed, and
many seriously injured, by the
explosion of a bomb in the so-
called "Bloody Nineteenth Ward"
in the Italian quarter of Chicago,
where many Irish also reside and
where there have recently been
many political faction fights.

Coal Situation In Britain Unimproved

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 30.—The crisis
in the coal mining industry which
has been occasioned by decontrol
of the mines shows no sign of im-
provement. The men and owners
in some districts are discussing the
question of retaining a few
essential men at the pits in the
event of a stoppage of work on
Friday.

Harding And Wilson On Way To Inaugural Ceremonies



President Harding and ex-President Wilson riding from the White House to the Capitol for the inaugural ceremonies.

U.S. SENDS CREW TO ITALY TO GET GREAT DIRIGIBLE

The "Roma," Recently Pur-
chased, Has Carrying Capa-
city Of 19 Tons

(Reuter's Service)
Washington, March 29. (By
mail).—The army will have an
airship capable of carrying 100
passengers, in addition to the
crew, when the great Italian semi-
rigid dirigible Roma, recently
purchased, arrives. An air serv-
ice detachment is en route to Italy
to deftate the big bag and bring it
home on ship-board.

The Roma, driven by six
twelve-cylinder engines, develop-
ing an aggregate of 2,400 horse-
power, has a lifting capacity of
55,000 pounds. She can carry
nearly 19 tons through the air in
addition to herself and her crew,
at an estimated maximum speed of
80 miles an hour. The big gas
bag, holding 1,200,000 cubic feet
of gas, is longer than all but the
most modern war-craft, 410 feet,
and is 82 feet wide, while bag and
car tower to a height of 86 feet,
6 inches.

With filled gasoline tanks the
ship has a full speed radius of 350
miles and at cruising speed could
go 800 miles without landing.

The Roma was constructed
under personal supervision of
Signor Uselli, whose name has
been applied to aircraft of that
particular type. She was design-
ed for commercial uses originally,
but was sold to the United States
for \$200,000. It would cost
\$1,250,000 to duplicate her, ex-
ports figure.

Germans Busy In South Sea Islands

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 29.—A tele-
gram from Berlin states that the
former German commercial under-
takings in the South Sea Islands
are preparing to resume activities
on a great scale. The plans com-
prise fusion and increase of
capital and the invocation of
American help.

A fusion has already been
formed between two leading com-
panies—the Jaluit Company, of
Hamburg, and the German Trade
and Plantations Company, of the
South Sea Islands. These have
formed a new company, called
"The Trade and Colonisation
Company Limited," behind which
stand big banks and several im-
portant merchants of the Hansa
cities.

The Jaluit Company formerly
operated in the Marshall and
Caroline Islands and had valuable
phosphates rights in Nauru, and
the German Trade and Plan-
tations Company operated in
Samoa.

WORK TO START SOON ON GREAT RADIOPLANT HERE

U.S. Department Of Commerce
Says Work Will Be Finished
In 18 Months

(Reuter's Service)
Washington, March 29.—The
Department of Commerce an-
nounces that work will shortly
be commenced on the erection of
a wireless station at Shanghai
under the agreement between
the Chinese Government and the
American Federal Telegraph Com-
pany. It is anticipated that the
station will be completed in
eighteen months, and that it will
enable direct wireless communica-
tion to be established across the
Pacific without intermediate relay
stations.

NILE DUE TODAY; EMPRESS OF ASIA OUT SATURDAY

The China Mail liner Nile is ex-
pected to dock at the China
Merchants Central Wharf at 6
o'clock this morning. The vessel is
reported out of Nagasaki on the
afternoon of the 29th, with 11
cabin and nine second-class pas-
sengers, 127 bags of mail and 300
tons of cargo for this port. The
Nile will leave for Hongkong and
Singapore tomorrow morning at
daylight.

The C.P.O.S. steamer Empress of
Asia is due off Woosung at 8 a.m.,
Saturday, April 2. Inward-
bound passengers are due at the
Customs Jetty, on the tender
Alexandra, at 10 a.m.

The tender will leave the Jetty at
5 p.m. Saturday with outbound pas-
sengers for the Asia. All baggage
must be on the tender by 4:45 p.m.
on Saturday. The steamer is ex-
pected to leave Woosung at 4
o'clock Sunday morning.

New York Life Insurance Co. Wins Income Test Case

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)
Washington, March 29.—The
Supreme Court has amended on
review the decision of the New
York courts, holding that divid-
ends applied to create the im-
partial payment of stipulated
premiums do not constitute in-
come; also that the decline in
the market value of securities
owned by tax-payers constituted
depreciation of property. This
decision was rendered in favor of
the New York Life Insurance
Company on suits filed against
the Collector in New York.

Three Ministries Cease To Function

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 30.—Three of
the most prominent departments
in the nation's most anxious days
during the war, namely, the
Ministries of Food, Shipping and
Munitions, will cease to exist
after tomorrow. The colossal
activities of the departments
necessitated a prolonged period of
winding-up. Henceforth practical-
ly the only remaining control
will be that of railways which
terminates in August.

EX-EMPEROR OF AUSTRIA SEEKS HUNGARY THRONE

Karl Causes Astonishment By
Sudden Appearance At
Budapest

TRAVELED IN DISGUISE

Asked By Regent To Leave, But
Declined—Staying At
Steinmanger

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 30.—The
greatest astonishment has been
caused by the sudden arrival of
the Austrian Emperor Karl in
Hungary, of which country it is
rumored that he intends to as-
sume the crown.

Well-informed persons in Paris
and Rome were inclined to dis-
credit the reports, but details of
the monarch's journey are given
from both Vienna and Budapest,
showing that the Emperor Karl,
traveling in disguise, reached the
Austro-Hungarian frontier on
Saturday. The Hungarian Prem-
ier, Count Teleki, was sum-
moned, whereupon he urged the
Emperor "not to carry out his
intentions."

The Emperor, however, pro-
ceeding to Budapest, saw the
Regent, admiral von Horthy, who
advised him to return to Switzer-
land. His Majesty declined to
leave the country, and is at pre-
sent staying at Steinmanger.

Joiners' Strike Ties Up Ships In Big British Yards

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 30.—There is
still no promise of a settlement
of the joiners' strike in the ship-
yards, which began in November
last, and shipowners who are no
longer able to postpone repairs,
are getting the work done abroad.
Ten large liners, including some
belonging to the Cunard, Cana-
dian, Pacific and White Star lines,
have been sent to the Continent
for repairs, while in order to
carry out a Chinese contract, Yar-
rows are having the cabin work
of three steamers done at Shang-
hai.

Several former German liners
which have recently been pur-
chased are running without alter-
ations having been made, the
notices and inscriptions on the
decks and cabins still being in
German.

Canada To Build Big Merchant Fleet

(Reuter's Service)
Ottawa, March 29.—The Gov-
ernment's fleet of forty-seven
merchantmen will be increased
from July 1, by sixteen, seven of
which will be oil-burners. The
cost of construction is \$100 per
ton.

The net earnings of the fleet
last year amounted to two and
one-third percent, which is re-
garded as satisfactory in view of
the abnormal conditions.

Harding To Sift Veterans' Charges

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)
Washington, March 29.—Pres-
ident Harding has decided upon
an exhaustive investigation into
the manner in which the Govern-
ment is caring for disabled war
veterans, and will shortly select
a special committee for this pur-
pose. He is determined to lay
the information thus gained be-
fore Congress and the country, in
order to correct any abuses that
have developed.

London In Dark On Disarmament

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 29.—With re-
ference to reports from New York
it is authoritatively stated in
London that nothing is known re-
garding alleged steps on the part
of the United States to approach
the British Government informally
on the question of disarmament.

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)
Washington, March 29.—A
mass meeting under the auspices
of the Women's Disarmament
Committee has passed a resolu-
tion requesting President Harding
to call a conference of the na-
tions of the world on disarmament,
and asking for the post-
ponement of the increased appro-
priations for armaments pending
this conference. It was announced
that 14 meetings had a similar
object were being held simulta-
neously in other States.

DUBLIN CASTLE OFFICIAL SLAIN BY SINN FEINERS

Captain Cecil Lees Shot As He
Walked Out Of Hotel
In Dublin

"WHITE PAPER" ISSUED

Allegations Made In Commons
On Mallow Shooting
Answered

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 29.—Four armed
men shot and killed Captain Cecil
Lees, an official of Dublin Castle, at
10 o'clock this morning as he was
leaving his hotel for the Castle.
Five shots were fired, killing Cap-
tain Lees instantaneously.

Captain Lees formerly belonged
to the Chinese Labor Corps and
was the son of a former British
consul in France.

London, March 29.—A "white
paper" has been issued giving
the report of the Court of Inquiry
regarding the shooting of rail-
waymen at Mallow station last
month.

The report finds that it was an
unnecessary custom for the rail-
waymen off duty to remain at
Mallow station after curfew
hours; that the railwaymen who
were taken to the barracks
were not beaten, inhumanly
treated or in any way abused;
nor were they told to run and
then fired upon when they were
released from the cells; that a
party of railwaymen was not fired
upon when leaving the railway
station for the barracks, and
finally that the remainder of the
allegations made in the House
of Commons were unsubstantiated
by evidence.

The report mentions that the
president of the court, Colonel
Cumming, was killed by rebels
on March 5, and that the remain-
ing members of the court heard
the evidence of 56 witnesses.

RED OUTBREAKS IN GERMANY AT END, SAYS BERLIN

Government Troops Surround
Communist Headquarters,
Force Surrender

(Reuter's Service)
Berlin, March 29.—The Com-
munist outbreak, which was already
dying down, finished today, when
government troops surrounded the
big nitrogen plant at Leun, near
Halle, which was the Communist
headquarters, and forced the
surroundings to surrender. One thou-
sand prisoners were taken and
large supplies of arms and ammuni-
tion recovered.

The Reichswehr, whose numbers
in Berlin were greatly increased
yesterday, are now stamping out
the embers of the revolt, notably
in Leipzig, the Rhineland and West-
phalia. A state of siege has been
declared in the districts of Muenster,
Arnhem and the unoccupied
part of Dusseldorf. The entire
area has restored their arms to the
police, in the occupied part of
Dusseldorf in order to repulse any
eventual Communist attack.

There were fifty casualties in
fighting between police and Reds at
Essen yesterday.

London, March 29.—In regard
to the attack on British troops in
Upper Silesia reported yesterday,
Reuter's Agency understands that
the facts are as follows: A band
of Poles on the 25th inst. bombed
a lorry load of British troops, but
there were no serious casualties,
and the attack had no political
significance. It was merely due
to the unreasonable anti-foreign
feeling among the Poles caused by
their disappointment at the result
of the plebiscite.

Paris, March 29.—Another out-
rage in Silesia is reported from
Oppeln. A motor-car, belonging
to the Inter-Allied Commission,
smashed into a wire that had been
stretched across the roadway, and
was wrecked against a tree. The
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two French officials injured. The
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ger of a general strike and of a
spread of the strike movement
has been temporarily suppressed.
The Government regards the out-
breaks as symptoms of a systema-
tic plot traceable to Moscow, for
the purpose of establishing a Ger-
man Soviet.

The Spoil-Sport



Disgusted youth: Darn that girl! She had to go and bring her mother along.

Shanghai's Book Stores Do Rushing Business--In Everything Except Books

Ouija Boards, Bridge Tally Sheets, Place Cards And
Fashion Magazines Are Best Sellers. Although
There Is A Scattering Of High Brows

BY ELSIE McCORMICK

IS Shanghai the Athens of the
Far East or do the in-
habitants consider brains a
mere eccentricity? Is the city
low-brow or high-brow?

Urged by a desire to prove
that Shanghai has been malign-
ed by those who represent it
as a frivolous, dance-mad vil-
lage where one's feet are his
or her fortune, we made the
rounds today of the leading
book-stores to find out what
the city reads as it drops in
the old armchair between the
tea-dance and the party at the
Carlton.

And this is what we found
out! Two book-stores reported
that their best sellers were:

1. Ouija boards.
2. Bridge tallies.
3. Place cards.
4. Fashion magazines.

Now who can deny that
Shanghai is a town of lofty
culture? The popularity of
ouija-boards indicates that the
field of contemporary literature and
are searching the Great Beyond
for a Patience Worth, who, not
having much to do except sit
on a damp cloud, is willing to
dictate a novel or two.

Bridge is well-grounded in
classical lore, as anyone who
knows the story of Horatius at
the Bridge will verify. It was
the opinion of some that
Horatius outbid his hand on
that occasion, but he managed
to make clubs trumps. And he
ended with a grand slam!

As for the fashion magazines,
any man who has tried to
struggle through a description
of a peach duffryn with a gilet
front piqued around the
edges will admit that it is a
subject only for master minds.

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man Soviet.

they know the answers to all
the problems.

We learned, too, of the mar-
ginal vendetta being carried on
by groups of opposing religious
and other views, who under
cover of examining the books
of the other camp, fill them
surreptitiously with notes con-
tradicting the author and driv-
ing the book-seller to despair.

"What is Shanghai reading?"
we inquired at our first stop-
ping-place.

"Nothing!" replied the man-
ager tersely. "Shanghai is not
an intellectual city. We sell a
lot of fashion magazine and
novels such as The Indiscree-
tions of Archie, by P. G. Wode-
house and The Brothers, by H.
A. Vachell, but we don't dis-
pose of more than one serious
book to a hundred of the
lighter works. Men will take
any book that is handed to
them, but women want to be
sure they are getting their
money's worth. They usually
stand by the counter and read
the story half through before
they accept it. Women custom-
ers have been showing a marked
preference for Galworthy
lately, which is a little more
encouraging than the taste
shown by some of the men."

OUIJA BOARDS POPULAR

At the next shop we heard
that ouija boards were the
best sellers, closely followed by
tally cards and fashion maga-
zines. We had heard that com-
mencing with the spirits is a
popular under sport in Shanghai,
so we were not surprised. Most
of the book-buyers are men,
the volumes most in demand
at present being "Wang the
Ninth," by Putnam B. Wesely,
"Kindred of the Dust" by
Peter B. Kyne, and "The
River's End" by James O. Cur-
wood. Margot Asquith's naughty
autobiography is also popular.
So is the newly-issued "Peace
Negotiations," in which Mr.
Robert Lansing pays back Mr.
Wilson.

Americans are so afflicted by
wanderlust that they demand
travel books even when travel-
ling, in order to arrange their
next tour. Hence "Vagabond-
ing in the West Indies" has had
a large sale among those who
are wearying for tropical palms
and a natural heating system
that requires no coal.

Another shop found garden-
ing-books extremely popular
though a glimpse of the red-
brick facade of Shanghai would
make the tourist wonder if all
the landscape gardening isn't
confined to window-boxes.
But the manager of this shop
staunchly upheld Shanghai's
(Continued on Page 2)

PEKING ACTS TO OVERCOME LITTLE HSU'S URGA FAILURE

Ex-Dictator's Subjugation
Plan Recognized As
Impossible

PLAN OVERTURES

Army Will Be Despatched
With Orders To
Recapture Uiga

CHANG TO HELP

Will Furnish One Of Two
Divisions, Other To Be
Raised In Capital

(Staff Wire To THE CHINA PRESS)

Peking, March 30.—The Peking
government, recognising the un-
wisdom and failure of Little
Hsu's policy of attempting to
reduce outer Mongolia to the
status of a Chinese province is
preparing to grant self govern-
ment to Outer Mongolia on terms
similar to the stipulations drawn
up at the defunct Kiakhta con-
vention, which proposed to give
the Mongols self government in
all local affairs, and provided for
a Chinese Resident Commissioner
at Uiga.

China desires the closest trade
relations with Outer Mongolia,
but realises this is impossible
while the Mongols present a
united resistance to China's
attempts to restore Mongolia
completely to Chinese sovereignty.
When weather and transporta-
tion conditions permit the Chi-
nese government will despatch two
divisions, one raised locally, and
one provided by General Chang
Tao-lin to Mongolia via Kalgan,
and using these as proof of
China's ability to reconquer
Mongolia.

Negotiations will then be
started with the living God with
self government as a basis.

The Chinese government
believes such negotiations will
result favorably in view of the
Mongols' expressed desire to
regain autonomy and to maintain
closest trade relations with China.

(Staff Wire To THE CHINA PRESS)

Hankow, March 30.—General
Li has been successful in recent
fighting against General Halung
in Szechuen, and is now marching
his troops toward Chungking and
Kinchow, where fighting is ex-
pected with funds and backing
from Peking. General Li has in-
duced a considerable number of
neutrals to join his forces in the
movement he has started to oust
Halung.

N.Y. Traders Talk Of Silk Exchange

(Reuter's Service)
New York, March 3 (By mail).
—A proposal to establish a raw
silk exchange in this city, for the
purpose of affording speculative
trading and hedging, has recently
been much under discussion, and
interest in the subject is growing.
The promoters of these sugges-
tions, however, have no idea of
entering upon any plan that will
disturb the operations of the
syndicate at Yokohama, during
the life of the current crop at
least.

The few sales reported recently
in the local market are not looked
upon as important, although the
prices show some slight recessions.
In the event of any broad demand
it is admitted that higher prices
would be asked and probably
secured. The attention given to
Italian silks is increasing, and
stronger efforts are being made to
sell Italian grades in this country.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Canton, March 30.—The price
of silk is rising, owing to an in-
crease of orders from America.
Reports received from the various
districts indicate that prospects
for the forthcoming silk crop are
brighter.

Japanese Prince Arrives At Kandy

(Reuter's Service)
Colombo, March 29.—The
Crown Prince of Japan arrived
at Kandy at 2:25 this afternoon
and drove to the King's Pavilion
at Perahera. An entertainment
is being arranged tonight in
honor of His Imperial Highness,
who leaves again tomorrow.

A HEART-BROKEN MOTHER PLEADS FOR WORD OF SON

Former U. S. Navy Man Missing Since Left This Port

Mystery that surrounds the disappearance of Maurice Robert Selby from Shanghai several months ago may be solved as a result of a heart-broken appeal from the youth's mother that has been received at the United States Consulate-General here, requesting that the American community of the Settlement unite in a search for the missing youth. The anxious parent is Mrs. Elsie Q. Selby, 224 Exchange Building, Bellingham, Washington.

Selby was well known in Shanghai and had many friends here. Inquiries indicate that his local acquaintances believed that he had departed for his home in America until word was received from his mother that he had not appeared in Bellingham and that no news had been received of him.

When he came to the Far East Selby was an enlisted man in the United States Navy. At the time of his discharge on July 26, 1920, the young man was chief yeoman of the U.S.S. Palos and had formerly been a yeoman on the U.S.S. Samar.

Description of the missing man gives his height at 5 feet 10 inches, weight about 185 pounds, dark hair and eyes dark.

After leaving the navy Selby was an employee of the Standard Oil Company.

Rent Profiteers Scored In Land Company's Report

Shanghai's second largest landlord, The Anglo-French Land Investment Company, hit well out at the profiteering of local tenants. In the speech of its chairman, Mr. A. W. Burkill, at yesterday's annual meeting, thus following the lead taken by the Shanghai Land Investment Company, when in their annual report a short time ago, the chairman laid the onus of high rents and scarcity of accommodations at the door of the profiteering sub-letting tenant.

Mr. Burkill, in his reference to the profiteers, said: "I would like to refer to the charge of profiteering made against landlords. This question was mentioned by the chairman of the Shanghai Land Investment Company, Ltd., at their annual meeting held recently. The directors of this company are in entire agreement with all that he said."

"We have had several cases before us recently of tenants transferring leases on terms that were nothing more nor less than gross profiteering. I take this opportunity of stating that we will not be party to transfer of leases under such conditions and will take all possible steps to stop this practice."

Book Stores Do Rushing Business

(Continued from Page 1) reputation as an intellectual center, he admitted that it is necessary to encourage reading by judicious advertising, and that many of the heavier books are bought by Chinese. Zane Gray, he said, was more popular than any other author, and detective stories of all types are enjoying a wide sale.

"Shanghai likes solid reading," this manager said, showing an order-book with requests for "The Principles of Heredity," "Mob Psychology," and similar frivolous tomes. "The library idea is not well-developed in China, but people are willing to spend good dollars for worthwhile books. What are the women reading? Oh, domestic science mostly, mixed with a few volumes on child-raising."

But, of course, the local book-shops have no copies of "Jurgens."

So with the evidence all before the court, the jury can determine whether Shanghai is giddy or intellectual. We are going to put the black oil-skin kimono on our typewriter and leave the question to brighter minds than ours.

New Peking Railway Terminus To Cost 3,000,000 Dollars

A central railway station is to be built in Peking at a total cost of \$3,000,000. The project, which is under the direction of the engineer-in-chief of the Peking-Hankow Railway, will be built on a site east of the Temple of Heaven.

At present there are two main line terminals in Peking, the Peking-Mukden and Peking-Tientsin-Pukow stations on the east of Chien Men, and the Peking-Hankow and Peking-Suiyuan stations on the western side. When this station is built there will be through connection between Hankow and all Chinese railway

WRECKED AUTOS POINT TO GREAT INSURANCE FRAUD

Sent Over Cliff At Lonely Point On Lake Erie Shore

(Reuter's Service) Buffalo, March 3 (By mail).—The finding of the wrecks of 17 automobiles at the foot of a cliff on the south shore of Lake Erie, a few miles west of Buffalo, has convinced the police that companies insuring against theft have been systematically cheated. Insurance companies, in self-defence, are carefully examining candidates for insurance of this kind.

In this lake shore graveyard of automobiles are makes of many sorts, from the plain run-about up to the pretentious limousine. Marks on the edge of the 85-foot cliff and the condition of the machines indicate that the automobiles were set on fire before being sent over.

The theory of the police is that the machines were stolen from their owners, insured against theft under fictitious names, reported stolen so that the insurance could be collected, and then destroyed to prevent detection for theft.

Police records show that in three months, 484 cars were stolen, 41 of which were found, burned or destroyed, and 108 are still listed as missing.

MARINE CHANGES ARE ANNOUNCED

The following changes in the merchant marine service took place during the week:

China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company.—Mr. R. Black appointed second officer of the Kiangtse; Mr. E. Knutsen appointed second officer of the Irene; Mr. E. A. Alberts, to acting chief officer; Mr. W. A. Farlow appointed second officer of the Irene; chief officer of the Yushun; Mr. J. H. Davies, to the Tashun; chief engineer of the Kiangyung; Mr. A. P. Cranston, to the Feiching; chief engineer of the Kwanglee; Mr. George Caulton, to the Kiangyung; chief engineer of the Feiching; Mr. Geo. Alexander, to the Kwanglee.

SECOND CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST W. W. WOODBURY

A new information was filed in the United States Court for China yesterday by Mr. H. D. Rodgers, Special Assistant District Attorney, accusing Winfield W. Woodbury of the crime of carrying concealed dangerous weapons, in that on March 23 he did have in his possession a dangerous weapon, said weapon being a 6-cylindrical .45 Colt's revolver, in violation of the laws of the United States.

The accused formerly was charged, in addition, with having falsely represented himself to be a police officer, but that count is withdrawn as the outgrowth of Commissioner F. J. Schuhl's finding at Tuesday's hearing that Woodbury had, in all probability, been led into the impersonation scheme through his ignorance of local customs.

The first charge resulted from Woodbury and two Chinese entering a house at 876 Chekiang road, March 23. The Chinese informed the tenants that they were detectives come in search of opium. Woodbury maintained that he had merely accompanied the party to "give face" to their efforts at collecting a \$400 debt. He denied posing as an officer.

The case will now go to the higher court, before Judge C. S. Lobingier. Woodbury has been released on bail. The two Chinese will be tried in the Mixed Court today.

Obituary

JOHN K. BURROUGHS (Reuter's Service) New York, March 29.—The well-known naturalist and author, Mr. John K. Burroughs, died suddenly in a train in Ohio while returning to his home at West Park, New York.

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Wong Zai-pai, who is chauffeur for a coal barge, was slumbering earnestly in the prow of the craft a couple of nights ago as it heaved gently at anchor off the Yui Tsoo wharf. He was aroused by a sudden jolting and observed that the boat had drifted up against the piling. Wondering how this might be he looked the other way and saw Lien Siau-san and Wang Ngau-foo, with the barge's anchor stowed aboard an alien vessel, busily engaged in hacking through the hawser. Being a beefy individual, and speedy to boot, Wong pulled himself alongside the pirates and had both of them by the collars before they realised that their effort had been noticed.

Lien readily admitted trying to kidnap his brother mariner's mooring iron, but he protested. It was an injustice to include his friend Wang in the indictment. He had started on the expedition alone, but had found Wong's anchor so weighty that he had wig-wagged the second accused, who was a respected resident of Pootung, for assistance. Wang admitted fervently that this was so. The result being a week apiece for Lien and Wang.

An intrepid Chinese Police Constable who met Dzien Tling staggering under a large bundle (literal) on the Yangtzeppoo Road a few days ago made energetic inquiry into the contents of the same and dragged forth three sets of blue and white bedding, one white jacket and a pair of shoes. These he recognised as items just previously described to the police as having been stolen from a Chinese hospital in the neighborhood. So yesterday Dzien appeared in the dock face to face with a charge of burglary.

The prisoner protested that he was not guilty of the charge. He was a coolie of good standing he assured the Magistrate and on the evening the hospital was broken into he had been invited to attend the affair by a friend. This friend had chopped a hole in the hospital wall, entered and passed the goods out through the aperture to the witness. How then, Dzien wanted to know, could he be accused of burglary when all he had done was to keep an eye out for the police and temporarily take charge of the stuff stolen by his friend? The friend had gone away somewhere after leaving the hospital. He wasn't a very close friend and Dzien couldn't remember his name, but he has a month of uninterrupted thinking ahead of him and will doubtless recall it before his time elapses.

A second hand dealer was fined \$10 yesterday for receiving 150 feet of steel cable stolen from Messrs. Arnhold Bros. at 34 Nanking Road.

When asked what he had to say for himself he declared that he had purchased the cable in full good faith from a coolie who told him that he wished to sell because he "had no further use for it."

Greeks Take 1,700 Prisoners At Kara

(Reuter's Service) Smyrna, March 29. It is reported that the Greeks took 1,700 prisoners at Afion Kara Hissar. The losses on both sides were heavy.

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Inquest On Suicide Begins After Burial

Mixed Court Questions Regularity Of Order For Body's Removal

A peculiar turn in the case of the young Czech-Russian journalist, A. N. Steppani, who shot himself last Saturday occurred in the Mixed Court yesterday when at the opening of the inquest it was announced that the body had been already buried.

The order for an inquest came Tuesday—Steppani dying on Monday—and it was set for yesterday morning before Assessor Ivanoff and Magistrate Li. At its opening, Inspector Wheeler stated that he had that morning read the news of the burial and that he had immediately set about finding out on what authority the body was removed from the mortuary. The police station concerned reported that they had not made any such authorisation and the custodian of the mortuary said that the only authority upon which he had acted was a death certificate held by the undertaker.

The undertaker, who had received the death certificate from the Health Department, from which Municipal branch it was discovered that the document for removal of the body had been signed by Mr. Gross, the former Russian Consul-General. The registrar of the Court was of opinion that this was irregular and instructed Inspector Wheeler to have the inquest opened, leaving it to the discretion of the court whether the body should be exhumed. No doctor's certificate could be produced in court. Inspector Wheeler, after the hearing, asked

for a ruling as to future procedure in the case of Russian inquests and the Assessor stated that henceforth such cases would be referred to him as Senior Consul's Assessor and he would decide as to the inquiry and the removal of bodies.

The testimony at the inquest was of a nature to confirm the fact of suicide, two letters stating the intent being read. It is the theory of the police that Steppani fired the four shots into his head and became unconscious, recovering some five hours later and trying to fire the revolver again, but failing to explode, the last two cartridges, the caps of both of which were indented. He then went out on his landing and tried to bring in a basket of charcoal, evidently with the idea of dying by asphyxiation. He was sitting upon the bed when the police arrived and was able to walk downstairs and enter the ambulance almost without assistance.

The inquest was adjourned until Friday, pending receipt of a doctor's certificate.

Shanghai Mint To Have Capacity Of One Million Daily

The Shanghai mint will be under the control and direction of the Ministry of Finance and the Currency Bureau, and the staff including a foreign assayer, will be appointed by these boards. The appointments which will be in the nature of permanent positions, will be in recognition of special qualifications. The reports of the

assayer also are to be published from time to time.

Bullion sycee and the tael standard will be ultimately abolished, and although the mint will have a producing capacity of \$1,000,000 a day, at first it will only coin \$12,000,000 a month. A currency reform commission is being formed.

Representatives of the Ministry of Finance and the Currency Bureau, the Chinese Banking Group and foreign bankers, the Maritime Customs and chambers of commerce will be members.

Headquarters Opened In Bund Building By Woman's Association

The new headquarters of the British Women's Association were opened in the Chartered Bank Building yesterday tea being served informally in the afternoon. It is the plan of the Association to have the rooms open daily from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tea and biffin will be served from 12:30 to 1:30 each day for the benefit of members who take a basket tiffin in town. Afternoon tea will be served each afternoon

beginning at four o'clock, the members taking turns in acting as hostesses. For the next fortnight admission will be limited to members only, but later they will be privileged to invite guests.

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New Philippine Enactment Will Throttle Their Trade, Chinese In Islands Protest

Manila Organisation Asks Harrison To Refuse Sanction; Petitioning American Associations There And Elsewhere To Aid

Chinese in the Philippine Islands have been filled with apprehension by, and are now engaged in waging a determined campaign against, certain recently enacted legislation which it is declared will have the effect of virtually wiping out Chinese conducted business in the islands.

In their effort to have the offending act nullified the major Chinese commercial organizations of Manila and other points in the Philippines have petitioned Governor-General Harrison to refuse to sign the official sanction and approval and are making appeals to American commercial organizations, not only in the islands but outside—including Shanghai—for their support in the matter.

The new act, which has to do with the keeping of accounts, is regarded as a deliberate attempt to kill Chinese business in the Philippines, since the Chinese, who have for many years dominated retail trade there, are practically the only ones to be affected and since it will be impossible for the great majority of them to comply with the new regulations.

The enactment in question, which was approved by the legislature last month and is scheduled to come into effect on November 1 of this year, reads as follows:

Article 1.—It will be illegal for any person, company, firm or corporation engaged in business, industry or other activity for purposes of profit in the Philippine Islands, in accordance with existing laws, to keep their books of account in a language other than English, Spanish or any native dialect.

Article 2.—Any violator of the provisions of this law will be punished upon conviction by a fine of not exceeding ten thousand pesos or imprisonment not to exceed two years or both.

Following the approval of the act the Chinese Chamber of Commerce of Manila at a mass meeting discussed the matter at great length and drew up a set of resolutions which were forwarded to the Governor-General through the Chinese Consul-General.

In petitioning the Governor-General to refuse his sanction to the act, as being prejudicial and un-

friendly toward the Chinese people in the islands the Chamber pointed out that their people are numerically a considerable element in the population of the Philippines and a still more considerable element from the standpoint of merchants and taxpayers, having been for centuries predominant in the commercial development and progress of the country.

The further points were made that in the United States and its other possessions, as well as in other foreign possessions in the Orient and, hitherto, in the Philippines, the universal custom has been for the government itself to provide translators and interpreters for all inspection of records of Chinese merchants and for such incidental legislation as comes under the police power, a practice which has always worked satisfactorily. It would be easy for the government to provide such translators. It is contended, from the large number of English and Spanish speaking Chinese, while it would be wholly impossible for the small Chinese merchants to provide thousands of English, Spanish or Filipino clerks to keep their records in one of these languages. Even if it were possible, they protested, it would still be impossible to comply with the law because the Chinese retail merchants do not understand these languages. Moreover, only skilled translators with knowledge of accounting in addition would be of any utility.

The law, it is declared, will introduce the greatest confusion among Chinese retail merchants, who for centuries have kept their accounts in their own language only and since at least 90 percent of the resident Chinese merchants belong to the small tienda keeper class, practically none of whom either read or speak any language other than their own. And since they deal largely in indispensable commodities the ruling will seriously affect living costs.

The Chinese Chamber of Commerce argues further that enforcement of the act will seriously affect the public economy of the country, since it must necessarily result in the withdrawal to other countries of great numbers of an industrious and experienced merchant class.

train platform. He was unable, he said, to define the exact spirit which was characteristic of the university man, but it must certainly be something which might be passed on with advantage in any land where character building is needed. The speaker also reminded the company that they existed here as a committee of Cambridge, and that they might prepare themselves to become the fairy godmothers of the schools in this port.

Mr. E. S. Gull, president of the British Chamber of Commerce, proposed the health of the guest of the evening—Admiral Borrett, commander of the China Squadron of the British Fleet. In a pleasing little speech the speaker explained that he considered it no penalty to have to speak to guests of such charming character. The admiral, he said, had already admitted his ignorance of Oxford or of Cambridge, and it gave him pain for, he asked, is not Shanghai run by members of the Association?

In reply the admiral pleaded that his ignorance was not complete and particularly that he had known a great deal of the kind of manhood that the universities had supplied the East with in the last five years. He regretted that in the service there was fewer opportunities of acquiring friendships, which came to those of university training and university life. It was his opinion, he said, contrary to that of the Dean, that the examinations were not a fair test of a man's ability as he knew of cases where men who could pass examinations were unfitted for any practical work, and who finally were allowed to go ashore and amuse themselves.

French Police Hand Over Murder Suspect

Man Accused Of Conspiracy To Slay Gen. Li To Be Tried

The French police having reconsidered their refusal to turn over to the Settlement authorities the Chinese accused of conspiracy to murder General Li Ying-zien in his home here, the man—one Voong Kyi-ming, was turned over to the International police yesterday and appeared in the Mixed Court, where the hearing was set for next Wednesday.

Voong had been arrested by two of General Li's secretaries as he was about to flee town, after a Mixed Court warrant, countersigned by the French Consul-General, had been issued. When this warrant was previously presented at the French police station his turning over was refused.

market village, Chu-kiao, 60 li northeast of here, by a man who came home from Harbin. He died immediately upon developing the disease and fifteen others of the village died within a week. Only one man escaped from the family in which the disease first made its appearance. There have been not less than one hundred deaths in all.

Though violent in form the disease was confined to a small area and has practically died out. The unusually mild winter and beautiful spring weather of the past few weeks are probably largely responsible for this.

Forfeits \$1,000 Bail Rather Than Stand For Trial

When the British Police Court sat yesterday morning to conclude the adjourned hearing of the case against Fernando Julio Baretto, a bookkeeper charged with having feloniously stolen a bill of lading covering 1,302 cases of tin, valued at Gold \$14,000, it developed that the accused had jumped his \$1,000 bail, and disappeared.

Messrs. Barradas and Medina, who had gone surety for the appearance of Baretto, were both in court, and were informed that they must forfeit the \$1,000 bond they had signed, to H. B. M.'s government.

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Delegates From Seventy Churches Hold Big Meeting

(China Press Correspondence)

Changhai, Chihli, March 28.—The largest and most stirring gathering of Christian workers ever held here, has just closed. Representatives from over seventy churches located in ten counties where there are over 5,000 baptized members of the Methodist Episcopal Church attended. District Superintendents, regular pastors, supply pastors, teachers, Bible women, and officials of the churches came to the number of over a hundred. With over 100 students of the Mission Middle School, 150 from the Girls' Boarding School and a smaller number from the Women's Training School, besides local people, the compound church was taxed to the limit of its seating capacity for three days.

Six meetings were held each day. The speakers were Bishop Rooney of Foochow, Dr. H. R. Calkins of India, Dr. W. P. Chen of Shanghai, and Miss Geraldine Townsend of Shanghai. The Bishop emphasized the work of the Centenary, calling the Church to advance in this great forward movement of Methodism. Dr. Calkins addressed the conference on Christian Stewardship in a way that both won his audience and put the giving of money on a new basis for all who have not heard him before.

Miss Townsend, who is pioneering for the Epworth League throughout China, spoke for the co-operation of the people in this to China comparatively new society of young people. Dr. Chen's messages were evangelistic, and in the final meeting, he presented the cross of Christ with such vividness and compelling power that the congregation was deeply moved; many could not restrain the tears and a large number rose in answer to his appeal for those who were willing to follow the Christ even to death. It will take a long time for the impression made to pass away.

The wives of the missionaries resident here together with the Yomen's Foreign Missionary Society missionaries gave an afternoon tea for all the people that attended the conference, and in addition a special tea to the women who came, about twenty in number.

Rev. T. A. Howe, the local pastor, was in charge of the meeting and the arrangements for entertaining the people, and in both these duties he won the gratitude and praise of all.

UNIVERSITY MEN OF BRITAIN HOLD ANNUAL DINNER

Oxford, Cambridge, Shanghai Association Meet At Shanghai Club

The regular annual dinner of the Oxford, Cambridge, Shanghai Association, held last night at the Shanghai Club, was attended by some thirty members, including the Rt. Rev. F. R. Graves, of the St. Johns University. The meeting, which is held to bring together the graduates of the two big universities, was presided over by Mr. Duncan McNeal, the president.

A toast to the King, opened the meeting, and a short speech by the president, in which he particularly expressed a good wish for the association to Sir Haviland de Sausmares, the last judge of the British Supreme Court, here, prior to Judge Skinner Turner. A complimentary mention also was given to the work of Mr. Bathurst Walker, one of the earliest members of the association.

The Very Rev. C. Symons of the Holy Trinity Cathedral, followed with a toast to the Alma Mater, in which was recalled the admixture of romance and adventure found in university life, which might be well compared to the "up and down" trains found passing by the

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Plague Outbreak Reaches Laichowfu

(China Press Correspondence)

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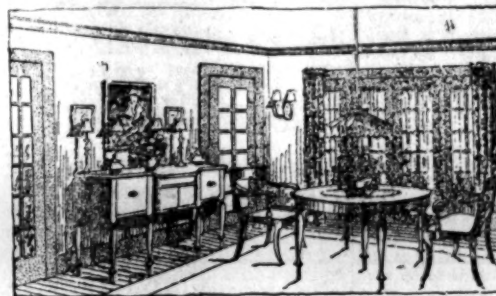
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HUNAN PROVINCE NOT BENEFITTED BY YEAR OF PEACE

Banks Unable To Conduct Business Because Of Unsettled Conditions

(China Press Correspondence)
Sungtan, Hunan, March 19.—It is difficult to realise Hunan has been peaceful for almost a year, although from all appearances, it is doubtful whether the Province is any the more prosperous under the present conditions of peace than at the time of the northern occupancy. Although there does not seem to be any northern force to fear, yet there continues the recruiting of troops and the augmenting of forces by the several southern leaders.

General Diao Heng Ti can maintain his position only by maintaining a larger military force than his aspiring successors.

Diao Heng Ti seems to be well thought of by the people at large. He is better than the average in the matter of squeezing for his own personal gain. Unfortunately for him and the existing government, Hunan is already a lemon squeezed dry—thanks to Ju Liang Tso and Tan Hao Ming and Chang Chin-yao. Every effort is being made to secure sufficient funds to run the government. For a while it seemed as if the north would replenish Diao Heng Ti's treasury on the side of the Chihli war lord, but no money has come from that direction. Then he thought he might secure a monthly revenue by permitting a half million dollars worth of opium to be exported from the Province, but the anti-opium society and the British Consul speedily helped him to realise that this was a dangerous procedure. He has made a great effort to be permitted to export some of the surplus rice stored in our Hunan granaries, and thus be able to obtain revenue by granting export passes to the rice merchants. But thus far he has not been able to get the required permit from the powers that be.

Just before the New Year Season the soldiers were getting restless, needing money to tide them over the New Year Season. The governor's bank was, then opened—the Tung Shiang Bank—with very little actual money or collateral. The bank issued a large amount of paper money which the soldiers received and spread broadcast throughout the province. The people could not help themselves but accept these notes at face value. In the meantime the China New Year Season was sufficient reason for the bank to close its doors. The opening of the bank for business was delayed from time to time after the New Year Season, and the people were anxiously awaiting the opening of the bank to find out whether their paper money was good currency or mere scraps of paper. General Diao, in the meantime, was making every effort through the Changsha Chamber of Commerce and other agencies to maintain the solvency of the bank. The bank has been opened, the paper dollars are negotiable at face value, but no individual can present more than three dollars at one time for conversion into hard money.

Business in the province gives very little indication of improving. In Sungtan during this past year there has not been a single native bank conducting business. They have at present so many outstanding loans which they cannot collect that they have all been obliged to close their doors and suspend business. This has made it all the more difficult for the merchants to restore business prosperity. Since there are no banks they are obliged to pay spot cash whenever they wish to renew their stock. This obliges them to carry a limited amount of stock in their shops and it also prevents them from making ventures in the expansion of their business. Consequently business is moribund and the business men do not know how to reorganise it into newness of life.

MUNICIPAL STAFF CHANGES

The following changes in the Municipal Staff are reported in today's Municipal Gazette, as taken from the order books for the week ended March 26:

Police Force.—Long leave, under medical certificate, is granted to Ng Tak-shang, Police Interpreter, from May 16.

Public Works Department.—Mr. T. Dijkstra is appointed temporarily as Assistant Land Surveyor from March 18.

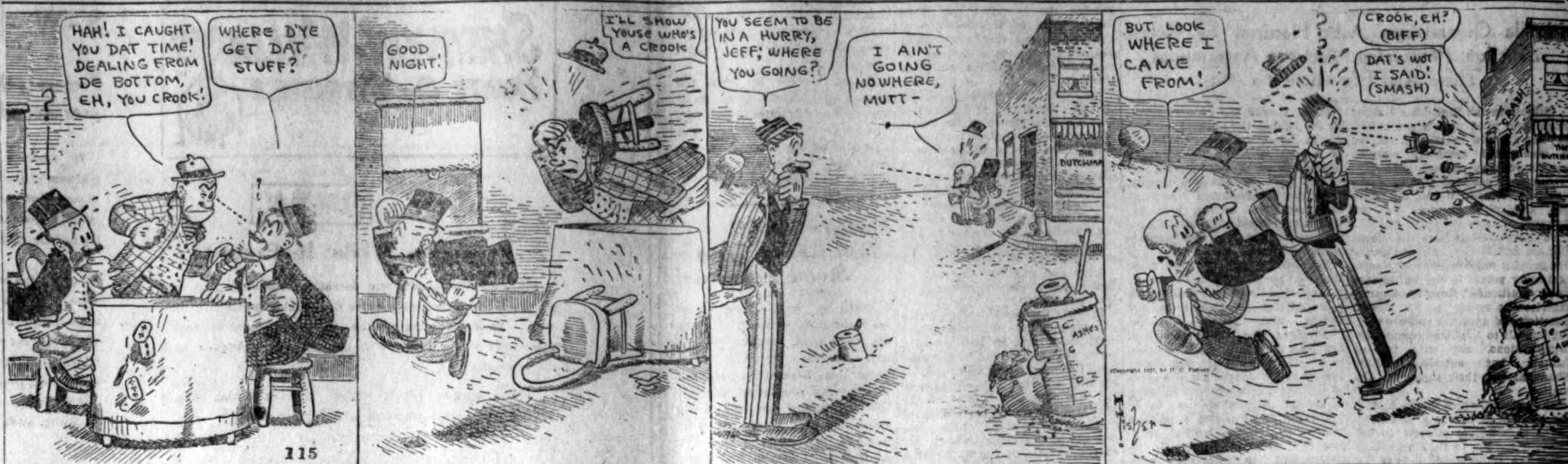
Mr. P. M. Peyran is appointed Assistant Inspector on probation from March 24.

Electricity Department.—Messrs. A. M. Levenspiel, Assistant Draughtsman, and J. E. Edmund, Motor Car Mechanic, are permitted to terminate their service on April 30 and March 31, respectively.

Educational Department.—Miss L. Hiron, temporary Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, is permitted to terminate her service on April 30.

Revenue Office.—Long leave is granted to Collector E. H. Solly from April 1.

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Judge Lobingier Asks Counsel To Submit Arguments in Oil Dispute

Written authorities were asked by Judge C. S. Lobingier, in the United States Court for China yesterday from counsel for both sides of the action, Alexander Ulrich, plaintiff, versus the Asia Banking Corporation.

Mr. Ulrich, a Polish business man of Vladivostok, testified that he had made a contract with the M. W. Bidwell company for the delivery of 95,000 cases of petrol at Vladivostok at \$3.18.50 per case, and that he had resold on the contract, and the time for his delivery was drawing near. The gasoline had never been delivered. He asked, aside from alleged damages totalling Taels 20,510, the return of certain deeds put up as security, and now held by the bank in trust.

It developed during the testimony that the Bidwell company had placed trust deeds to a building and land in Tientsin in escrow with the Asia Bank, with instructions that they should not be released without the firm's special consent. On the other hand, it was shown Mr. Ulrich had also posted a guaranty to insure payment for the shipment. Some time later the bank was said to have received a written order from the Bidwell company instructing it to deliver the deeds to their Mr. C. C. Young. When Ulrich applied for the return of his documents he was told that sanction from the Bidwell company must be obtained. This sanction he claims to have received in a letter of authorisation from the Bidwell Co.

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Miss Chapman contributed a sterling performance and particularly at the end of the second act, she and Mr. Kennedy received hearty applause from the enthusiastic audience.

"The Co-Respondent" is the offering for tonight.

Suffragists Start Rampage In Canton

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, March 30.—While the Provincial Assembly at Canton was discussing a bill for the election of district magistrates, seven hundred women rushed in demanding the addition of a clause granting women the right to vote. Disorderly scenes ensued in which several of the suffragettes were injured and a number knocked down unconscious.

When the uproar had subsided, the suffragettes received an audience from Dr. Sun Yat-sen, who sympathised with their demand. They subsequently marched to the Civil Governor's yamen and interviewed General Chen Ching-ming, who promised that women should be given the right to vote.

Later, the women marched in procession through the streets shouting "Victory, Victory." Canton, March 30.—Over a thousand militant suffragettes held a meeting in Canton yesterday morning to discuss plans for securing equality of the sexes. The meeting was a most enthusiastic one. The hall in which it took place was decorated with scrolls inscribed, "Equality for our sex," "Long live Sun Yat-sen and Chen Ching-ming," "Give us the vote" and "Women suffrage for China."

Later, a monster parade, singing en route, proceeded to the quarters of the Provincial Assembly and thence to the Civil Governor's yamen and the offices of the Military Government to express appreciation of the sympathy with the suffrage movement expressed by the officials.

Sino-German Trade Treaty Is Drafted

The treaty for the resumption of trade between China and Germany has been drafted and sent to Berlin. The treaty in form is similar to that which China recently concluded with Persia. The new Sino-German Treaty as drafted makes no provision for extraterritorial privileges. Unless substantial objections are raised in Berlin it will be signed as soon as China resumes diplomatic relations with Germany.

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Dr. Wang Chung-hui, Chinese delegate on the Revision of the International Treaty at the League of Nations, was the guest of honor at a tiffin given by Mr. C. F. Hsu, Special Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, yesterday.

Suffragettes stormed the Canton Provincial Assembly on Monday and demanded votes. Over 600 women took part in the demonstration. Several were hurt.

Bertrand Russell, the English writer and lecturer, improved slightly on Monday, but doctors still hold out no hope for his recovery.

Tsao Kun has laid before President Hsu Shih-chang a scheme for the establishment of a branch Aeronautical Department in Peotungfu.

The third national conference of Chinese newspapermen will take place in Peking on May 5. The Hsienping Hotel of Mi Shih Hutung will be the headquarters of the delegates.

United States Consul and Mrs. M. S. Myers, of Swatow are

returning from a six months' leave of absence in America, on the steamer Venezuela, due here tomorrow.

United States Minister and Mrs. C. R. Crane, accompanied by Miss Dorothy Reed, arrived in Shanghai yesterday. Mrs. Crane and Miss Reed enroute America, and Mr. Crane for a few days visit. Mrs. Crane and Miss Reed sail on the steamer Nanking, April 3.

A tiffin-meeting of the Rotary Club will be held at noon today at the Carlton Cafe. The meeting is open only to members of the club. Officers for the coming year will be elected. The Girls Friendly Society will hold a fancy dress masquerade dance at the Masonic Hall Saturday night. Fancy dress will be optional but masks are compulsory.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Murphy sailed at daylight this morning on the N.Y.K. s.s. Sado Maru, for London.

Mr. J. D. Birrell sailed yesterday for Japan on the N.Y.K. s.s. Omi Maru.

Mr. H. P. Wadman arrived from Nanking yesterday on the China Navigation s.s. Hsin Peking.

Seven men seized in a gambling raid at 533 Wuchow Road Tuesday night were fined \$3 each in the Mixed Court yesterday.

For being in possession of two tins of dye stolen from the hold of the steamer Alderamin at the China Merchants wharf a Chinese

dealer was sentenced to a month's imprisonment yesterday. The complainants in the case are the Holland-China Trading Company and the prisoner was ordered held at the disposal of the Dutch Consulate-General to appear as witness in a case to be brought against a Dutch tailor, at present unknown, who is alleged to have handed the goods to the Chinese defendant.

The resignation of Mr. P. W. Massey from the Foreign Education Committee of the Council has been accepted with regret.

Two cases of cerebrospinal fever were recorded among the foreign population during last week, according to the acting Health Officer's report.

Although the total number of fires during February exceeded the number for the same month last year—41 as against 29—the property loss was lower than for February 1920. Damage this year was estimated at Tls. 7,510 and that for the corresponding period last year at Tls. 10,025. Two fatalities occurred last month, a man being burned to death in a fire at W63 Tsungming Road February 1 and a child dying as a result of burns received in an outbreak at R494 Yunnan Road on February 8.

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TEACHER STRIKE TO END

(Staff Wire To THE CHINA PRESS)
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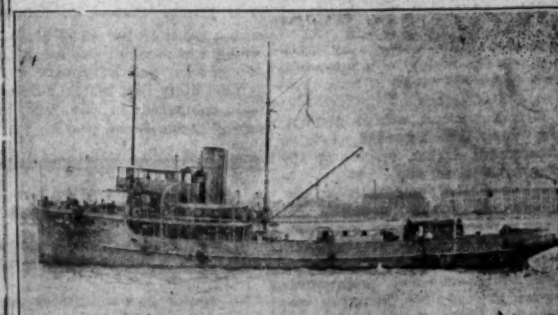
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China Press Sports



HONGKEW IS CLOSED TO FOOTBALLERS

All Games On Saturday Will Be Played At Fields On Race Course

FIVE MATCHES CARDED

Football Club And Recs Eleven Meet In Lone Fixture Of First Division

With the football field at the Hongkew Park, as well as the S.R.C. grounds at the Race Course closed down for the season, the football games, scheduled for Saturday in both Leagues 1 and 2, are set down for other fields at the Race Course grounds.

One game will be played in League 1; that between the Shanghai Football Club, and the Shanghai Recreation Club.

In League 2 four matches are scheduled. The schedule, with fields of play, and referees follows:

LEAGUE 1

S.F.C. versus S.R.C. on S.F.C. grounds. Referee, Mr. W. T. Blissett.

LEAGUE 2

S.R.C. versus S.F.C. on Police grounds. Referee, Mr. W. S. Hampson.

Engineers versus B.A.T. on Polo grounds. Referee, Mr. R. R. Jones.

Customs versus Electricity Department on Widows' monument grounds. Referee, Mr. A. R. C. Fulton.

Navy versus Public School on Widows' monument grounds. Referee, Mr. F. S. Bridges.

Home teams are mentioned first.

Stewards Announce Peking Race Dates For Spring Meeting

Total Of 27 Events On Three-Day Program, Beginning On Friday, May 13

The stewards of the Peking Race Course have announced the dates for the Spring race meeting at the Capital, as follows: Friday, Saturday and Sunday, May 13, 14 and 15, weather permitting. There are nine races on each day's program—four before twilight and five after.

The events will be as follows:

First Day—Event No. 1, Selling Plate, five furlongs; (2) Maiden Plate, one mile; (3) Trial Stakes, one mile; (4) Spring Cup, 1 1/4 miles. (Tiffin Interval); Event No. 5, Griffin Scurry, six furlongs; (6) The Hunt Steeplechase, about two miles; (7) Fengtai Cup, 1 1/4 miles; (8) Flyaway Cup, seven furlongs; and (9) Stewards' Cup, 1 1/4 miles.

Second Day—Event No. 1, Mongol Stakes, six furlongs; (2) Derby Stakes, 1 1/2 miles; (3) Mi Tai Sau Stakes, 1 1/4 miles; (4) Griffin Stakes, six furlongs; (Tiffin Interval); Event No. 5, Lien Hua Chih Cup, six furlongs; (6) Visitors Cup, one mile; (7) Criterion Stakes, one mile; (8) Peking Stakes, 1 1/2 miles; and (9) Jockey Cup, one mile.

Third Day—Event No. 1, Pao-machang Cup, 1 1/4 miles; (2) Kalgan Stakes, 1 1/4 miles; (3) Juvenile Plate, seven furlongs; (4) Hurdle Race, about 1 1/4 miles; (Tiffin Interval); Event No. 5, Wang Hai Lou Stakes, 1 1/4 miles; (6) Cesarewitch Stakes, 1 1/2 miles; (7) Consolation Stakes, one mile; (8) Champion Stakes, 1 1/4 miles; and (9) Nil Deperandum Stakes, five furlongs.

The stewards for the meeting are as follows: Messrs. R. H. Clive, David Fraser, W. W. Grave, D. R. Mackenzie, J. Redelsperger, W. H. E. Thomas, D'Arcy Weatherby, C. L. L. Williams.

INDOOR SPORTS

By Tad



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2ND EXTRA RACE MEET IS SET FOR NEXT SATURDAY

Shanghai Race Club Has Racing Scheduled For April 2 and 9

The second extra meeting of the Shanghai Race Club will take place on Saturday and the third meeting on April 9. The first saddling bell for both will be rung at 1:30 o'clock. Ten events are scheduled for both days.

The list of races for the second extra meeting consists of:

- 1.—The Catwalk Hurdle Race. Seven furlongs.
- 2.—The York Steeplechase. Over the Loong Fel water jump, once round and in.
- 3.—The Newmarket Plate. Nine furlongs.
- 4.—The Lincoln Handicap. One mile and three furlongs.
- 5.—The Liverpool Plate. Half a mile.
- 6.—The Goodwood Stake. Three quarters of a mile.
- 7.—The Epsom Cup. One mile and half.
- 8.—The Doncaster Handicap. One mile and a quarter.
- 9.—The Brighton Plate. One mile.
- 10.—The Warwick Selling Race. Three quarters of a mile.

Entries for the annual spring race meeting, which will be held on May 2, 3, 4 and 7, will close at the Grand Stand on Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock.

YOKOHAMA ROWING SEASON IS OPENED

The rowing season in Yokohama was ceremoniously opened on March 24 when three boats, manned by members of the Amateur Rowing Club, formed a procession from the boathouse out into the harbor around the yacht Cutty Sark and raced back. The Red boat, rowed by Tomoya, Vaterhaus, Hansen, Glogg (stroke) and Carroll (coxswain), won the race.

Some of the men scheduled to participate in the race failed to show up and only three instead of four boats took part. The crews of the other two boats were: White (which finished second)—Fox, McDonald, Hausheer, Herzog (stroke) and Allico (coxswain); Black—Andler, Cotte, Mazze, Schweizer (stroke) and Schneider (coxswain); A fair sized crowd attended the opening of the season.

As the three boats swung around the diminutive steamer a letter from the owner of the Cutty Sark, Mr. Henry Keswick, who was at one time head of Jardine Matheson and Co. at Yokohama, was delivered to Mr. George Hood, captain of the Rowing Club. The yacht owner congratulated the club upon its interest in the sport of rowing and enclosed the sum of ¥250 for the club's fund for the purchase of new boats.

Penn Crew Takes The Water Early



The University of Pennsylvania varsity eight is probably the first of the Eastern college crews to take the water this season. The photo shows the Penn crewmen out for a practice row. The inset is that of Joe Wright head coach of Penn's crews.

The Little Golf Ball

WHY WE SHOULD NOT GO BACK TO THE FLOATER (By Abe Mitchell)

The little ball in golf is an enigmatical question. It has suddenly jumped into prominence and it is declared that it should be banished. We all ought to go back and play with the old floater. It is undoubtedly an infinitely backed agitation and arguments have been advanced which seem thoroughly sound. Indeed one might almost think it was the only possible ball. But I want to say straight away that I do not want to go back—and it would be going back in more senses than one in my opinion—to the ball that will float.

Golf can be played with any kind of golf ball. The ladies mostly use a floater while not a few old gentlemen do the same. Why do they use a light ball? Simply because a heavy ball is too much for their strength. They are unable to make it carry. If, however, the ladies and the old gentlemen could use a heavy ball, does anyone think that they would not do so.

There are plenty of good golfers who always use a ball weighing 29 pennyweights, of the small size. Even J. H. Taylor, if my memory serves me right, did not play with a heavy ball in competitive golf until after the war. Before then Taylor used a "29" and won at least one championship with such a ball. One might argue that Taylor would have done better with a "31" than a "29" for he was never a player who drove a high carrying shot but preferred to play a low wind chester. No one could do this better than the Mid-Surrey man and he must have had some deep reason for sticking to a ball which was not of the heaviest weight. I do not

ANNUAL TENNIS TOURNAMENT IN JUNE FOR YOKOHAMA

Entries Are Expected From Five Organisations; Closing Date April 30

The third lawn tennis open championship tournament of Japan will be held at the courts of the Ladies' Lawn Tennis and Croquet Club (Bluff Gardens) at Yokohama during the three days beginning Friday, June 3. The tournament will be under the auspices of the Kobe Regatta and Athletic Club, which is affiliated with the Lawn Tennis Association of England and by whose courtesy it is being held in Yokohama this year. The two previous championship tournaments have been held at Kobe.

A new event this year will be mixed doubles, the event being subject to eight entries. Heretofore there have been only men's singles and men's doubles, but this year it was felt that there was enough interest among women players in Japan to make it worth while holding the mixed doubles event. This will only be played in case there are at least eight couples entered.

At the open championship tournament held in Kobe last year Mr. J. A. Dean won the men's singles event, and Mr. Dean and Mr. H. Horne won in the men's doubles. They both represented the L.L.T. and C.C. of Yokohama, but they are out of the country this year, and there will be no challenge rounds. Sixteen men played in the tournament last year, and a much larger number of players is expected this year, entries being expected from the Y.G. and A.C., the K.R. and A.C., the Kobe Lawn Tennis Club, the Osaka Tennis Club and the Tokio Lawn Tennis Club.

The matches will be governed by the rules of the Lawn Tennis Association of England. All matches in men's singles and doubles will be for the best of five sets, and all matches in mixed doubles for the best of three sets. The entry lists will close on Saturday, April 30, and copies of the draw will be sent to all participants.

Solly Joel Not To Finance Big Fight

(Reuter's Service)
New York, March 29.—The newspaper story that Mr. Solly Joel was endeavoring to finance the Dempsey-Carpentier fight has proved to be a hoax. Mr. Jack Joel has informed Reuter that the report is without foundation.

HARBIN CLUB SENDING MEN TO OLYMPICS

Russian Sporting Club Will Be Represented At Open Meet In May

U. S. MARINES COMING

Legation Guard At Peking To Send 25 Men, Including Basketballers

The Russian Sporting Club of Harbin is working over its list of athletes with the view of getting together a representation of Russian entrants for the open events to be held in Shanghai during the Far Eastern Games in May and June.

The United States Marines in Peking will be represented in the open meet and 25 star athletes from the Legation Guard will come here. The Marines will also send a basketball team to compete a series to be held in connection with the Olympics.

The coming of the Marines was made known yesterday by a letter from R. I. Forbes of Peking.

It is also expected that the 15th Infantry will send baseball, basketball and track teams. The American troops in Tientsin include several star athletes who did well at the open meet held in connection with the Philippine Carnival and also at the Army meet.

Weather Likely To Be Big Factor In Annual Boat Race

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 29.—The weather, which has become cold, wet and stormy, may be a decisive factor in the boat race between Oxford and Cambridge, which promises to be one of the closest of recent years.

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BRITONS TO TRY TO SCALE 'ROOF OF THE WORLD'

How Explorers Plan To Climb Mount Everest Highest Peak On Earth

PARTY TO START NEXT YEAR

Duke Of The Abruzzi Once Ascended To Within 4,000 Feet Of Summit

(From The Tribune's European Bureau)

London, Jan. 29.—English explorers will attempt next year to scale Mount Everest, the world's highest peak, whose summit in the Himalayas is 29,142 feet above sea level. Many expeditions have tried to penetrate the unknown wilderness of ice-clad mountains that form "the roof of the world," but no white man has succeeded in scaling the giant of the Himalayas. The most successful attempt was the dash made by the Duke of the Abruzzi, who reached a height of 24,600 feet, 4,000 feet below Everest's five-mile high summit.

The new expedition, consisting of ten Englishmen and forty native porters, is under the auspices of the Alpine Club and the Royal Geographical Society. Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Francis Younghusband, who opened Tibet and the Lhasa Monastery to the world, is president of the latter organization, and it is said that he may lead the exploring party. A preliminary research group next May to explore the approaches to the mountain and to establish food depots, and the dash for Everest will take place in August and September, 1922. It is said that airplanes will be sent from India to make photographic maps of the surrounding passes, and the planes also may be used to drop supplies at high altitude bivouacs.

Mount Everest is in Nepal, north of India and is about 280 miles southwest of Lhasa. The frozen plateaus and polar ranges of this country are one of the few uncharted regions of the world. Explorers who attempt to reach the snow-bound wastes of the mountains find many difficulties.

NATIVES HAMPER EXPLORERS

For years hostile natives resisted every attempt at exploration. Mr. Montagnier, of the Alpine Club, on entering the village of Asholey in Butistan during his expedition of 1903 found that the natives had taken to the hills at his approach and from precipices showered stones upon his party. Later, when this difficulty had been partly overcome, explorations were officially discouraged because of the conflicting interests of England, Russia and Tibet in the border lands. These political considerations were removed last summer when Colonel Howard Bury went to India and received permission from both the Tibetan and Indian governments to make the proposed attempt to climb Everest.

Another feature is that few men can stand the rarefied atmosphere of high altitudes. At a certain point of rarefaction the blood ceases to absorb oxygen from the atmosphere and begins to give off oxygen instead. This at first causes lassitude, but will result in death unless the explorer descends. In order to determine just how much the human body can endure tests have been made in closed chambers, from which the air is gradually pumped. This shows a man's power of resistance, but it is impossible to tell just what the reaction will be when the thin air of great heights is combined with the exertion of climbing. "Mountain sickness" is a definite thing, and many would-be explorers find themselves unable to work because of it.

INSOMNIA A HANDICAP

Others cannot sleep at great heights, insomnia being induced by the rarefied air. As two or three days are spent in the ascent of a mountain, men who do not rest at night are weakened until they are useless when the time comes for the final dash. Water will not boil at high altitudes, and once the supply of warm drinks in the thermos bottles is exhausted explorers suffer from lack of warm food. Emergency rations, tinned foods and dried meats are taken on the expeditions, but these do not suffice for the great exertion of climbing rock faces and ice slopes. Slingsby, an English explorer who attempted to scale Mount Kamel, returned broken in health and did not recover for a year. Many other men have found that they were unable to stand the physical strain of climbing to great heights.

One of the greatest tests of endurance was Dr. Longstaff's attempt at Guria Mandhata in 1905. They had spent a week on the mountain, reaching a height of 24,000 feet, or 1,850 feet from the summit. Here they encountered soft and treacherous snow which gave way and carried them down in an avalanche for 1,500 feet, successfully jumping two small cliffs. Buried in the snow, they were extricated by one of the native guides, and passed the night in a hole on the mountain-side, without sufficient clothing and with little food. They heavily continued their ascent the next morning, but were forced to turn back by fatigue and headaches caused by the thin air.

MANY EXPLORERS BLOCKED

In climbing Mount Trisul, Dr.

Longstaff and Subadar Karbir Burathok, of the Gurka Rifles, reached 20,000 feet and made camp there, but were forced to descend when a blizzard and avalanches made their camp untenable. They had remained in their light bivouac tents for thirty hours of hurricane before giving up the attempt. Dr. W. H. Workman, who in company with his wife, Mrs. Fanny Bullock Workman, has made many expeditions in the high Himalayas, reached the height of 23,400 feet on a ridge above the Chogoo glacier in difficulties of respiration at great heights, the feeling of lassitude that overcomes the climber, and the inability to sleep well at altitudes of more than 17,000 feet.

All these obstacles must be overcome by the men who plan the new assault on Everest. The start of the expedition will be from Darjeeling in northern India. Here the climbers and scientists will find waiting them the porters and guides to be engaged by the preliminary party of next May. At Darjeeling will begin the 250-mile trek to the base of Everest, a task that is itself a stupendous undertaking. Baggage and supplies will be hauled by the native porters, and the native domestic animal will be used for transportation. The trail leads at first up the valley of the Tista River to the village of Kampa Dzong, 100 miles to the north. On this part of the journey they will leave the last stations of civilization and enter the Himalayan wilds.

ROUTE OF ASCENT

Passing through the country beyond Kampa Dzong, they will follow the valley of the Tava Sampo, one of the high plateau rivers of the Himalayas. This river has no outlet. In the rainy season it is fed by glacial streams that pour down the sides of the mountains. For miles it will be a broad, flowing river, then it will dwindle in morasses and finally sink into the sand of some dry plateau.

Passing the ridges at Saar, the explorers will see Everest towering to the southwest. It is the central peak of three giant caps and at first sight appears to be the lowest of the three. But as the approach is made the mountain towers higher and higher above.

A ridge twenty miles long makes the general approach to the peak from the north. Here the explorers enter new country and are lost in a world of ice and snow. On clear days the mountain, seen from fifty or sixty miles, seems only five miles away in the clear, dry air. Again the summits are veiled in mists and fogs or disappear in blinding blizzards. The region about the mountain is an unknown country.

The explorers will have to spend days in crossing passes between nameless smaller mountains, in descending and reascending the mile-deep gorges of nameless, uncharted rivers that flow for miles between high cliffs, only to disappear into subterranean caverns. At last, when the base of the mountain is reached, a permanent camp will be established and details sent up ahead to lay food depots for the climbing party. This involves much rock work, where guides, roped together, spend hours in cutting footholds up the face of sheer precipices.

DANGER IN FALSE SNOW

Small plateaus on the flanks of the mountain will be crossed, where the party will be in constant danger of falling through false snow bridges into hidden ice crevasses. It is planned to then establish a final high camp from which the last dash will be made. Weather conditions will vary the nature of this last climb. Should clear, cold weather continue during the period of the climb the ascent will be less difficult. Firm, dry snow is the best ground for climbing. A high wind, however, may sweep off this snow and leave a bare ice cap. Steps will then be cut in this ice—a slow and laborious process which soon exhausts the workers because of the rarefied air.

Warmer weather will mean fogs and wet snow, with an ever-present menace from avalanches. Wind hurricanes and blizzards may delay progress, and even force descent. The perfect climbing conditions of clear weather and dry, firm snow, are not to be relied upon.

The ascent of a great mountain peak has all the hazards and dangers of an arctic expedition. It must furthermore be rapidly accomplished, or the men will collapse from exhaustion. After a certain height is reached, however, speed in climbing is practically impossible.

MUST CUT STEPS INTO ICE

The Duke of the Abruzzi, in his expedition, made a rate of 396 feet an hour in the altitudes between 23,000 and 23,450 feet. Between 23,450 and 24,250 his rate was 273, and the last stretch to 24,600 was at the rate of 160 feet an hour. It must be remembered that this is almost sheer climbing, digging every step into solid ice in the face of snow, fog and hurricane winds, fighting up soft, crumbling snow-slides, where each step may precipitate an avalanche. If the goal is not reached the explorers descend at night to an altitude where sleep is possible, resting before another attempt the next day. There they put on wool socks and wool caps in addition to their outer

clothing and roll up in swansdown sleeping bags under the shelter of light bivouac tents.

These are the problems that confront the 1922 expedition. Of their task Sir Francis Younghusband says:

"Such an expedition must be essentially a great adventure. High risks will have to be run and severe hardships endured; hardships from intense cold, terrific winds and blinding snow storms. We mean to obtain the best men to be had; give them every advantage we can; then trust them to pioneer the way to the loftiest summit of this planet. And when that has been reached man will have taken a further great step toward the mastery of his surroundings."

Hongkong Merchants Form Organisation

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, March 30.—Owing to the unsatisfactory political situation at Canton, the Chinese merchants of Hongkong have formed a society for the protection of the property trade and industry in Kwangtung in which Chinese merchants at Hongkong are interested. It is believed that the Canton merchants are cooperating.

The Little Golf Ball

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had ever been made. No golf ball, I am assured, had ever been made as small as 1.62 inches in diameter, yet the rule lays it down that the new ball which comes into force on May 1, may be as small, but not smaller than this figure. The modern ball mostly measures 1.63 inches. At least most of the better known balls were not less than this and some were slightly larger.

POSITION OF AMERICA

This new figure meant that if the makers put on the market a ball which conformed to the limited size, new moulds would be necessary, but the Committee expressly stated that they wished to cause the least inconvenience and expense to the manufacturers. Did the Committee think that the makers would not be asked for a ball as near as possible to the size laid down or that the golfing public would be satisfied to play with any ball that the makers liked to produce? These are riddles which it is difficult to answer. There would appear to be an effort on foot to nullify the agreement came to by the British and American Committees in regard to the limits of the ball. And this, too, before the new ball has even seen an open competition. The largest ball makers in America, I understand, had no intention of making a ball so small as 1.62 inches as they realised that a mistake had crept in, but, of course, if the makers on this side market a ball which conforms to the size and weight then it seems to be only business for all other makers to do the same.

Some months ago I wrote of the privilege conferred on the golfer in being able to choose the ball which he fancied best, and gave this as a reason why we did not need a standard ball. The reason still applies. It seems to me that having come to an agreement with America we ought to abide by it and carry on till it has been proved a failure. The heavy ball at least made golf popular, and I venture to say that

if we ever go back to the flonier a good many who play now will give up the game, for a good deal of their pleasure which consists in hitting a long drive will be taken from them. No other shot in the game gives the same satisfaction as the bang from the tee and to take away a good many yards by the introduction of the flonier would not be good for the game.

The time occupied to play a round will be longer and already there is enough congestion on course. To play with a light ball will tend to aggravate this.

AN UNRESTRICTED DIET

The Ambition Of The Dyspeptic

Not to be limited in one's diet but to eat whatever one pleases without discomfort is the dream of every dyspeptic. Nobody can honestly promise to restore any stomach to this happy condition, because all people cannot eat the same kind of food with equally satisfactory results. It is literally true that "what is one man's food is another man's poison," but it is possible to select a pleasing diet from articles of food that cause no discomfort and it is possible to tone up the digestive organs.

When the stomach lacks tone there is no quicker way to restore it than to build up the blood. Good digestion without rich red blood is impossible, and Dr. Williams' pink pills offer the best way to build up the blood. They also have a direct action on the nerves, and as the nerves control the processes of digestion these pills are especially good in stomach trouble attended with thin blood, and in nervous dyspepsia.

Let us instance the experience of one chronic indigestion sufferer, Mr. S. W. Dry, of 127, Mallinson Road, Clapham Junction, London, S. W. This gentleman recently stated:

"For sixteen years I suffered terribly from chronic indigestion. The miseries I endured during all those years are beyond belief. I could not eat anything without suffering acute pain. At times it was simply agonising. Every night I would lie awake until the early hour of the morning suffering intense pains. "In my endeavours to get relief I tried pretty well every known remedy for indigestion without attending hospitals, but they could only ease me for a time, and said my case was hopeless. "I tried dieting myself, but still obtained no relief. Food became absolutely abhorrent to me. I lost all interest in life. Then one day I read of a case similar to my own being cured by Dr. Williams' pink pills, so I thought I would give them a trial.

"I had not been taking the pills long before there was an improvement in my appetite. And what was more I could take food without suffering pain after which was something of a chance for me, who had hardly known such a thing for sixteen years.

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3483 shares of the Yinkow Water Works Co.
1850 " " " Kailua Mining Co.
1182 " " " Peking Electric Light Co.

These shares are now on sale and anyone who may desire to acquire same, are requested to apply to the undersigned either in person or in writing before the end of the 2nd moon of the current year.

Yingkow Chamber of Commerce
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Shanghai, March 24, 1921.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Ninth Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at No. 103 Szechuen Road, Shanghai, on Tuesday, the 12th day of April, 1921, at 4 p.m.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Tuesday, 5th April, to Tuesday, 12th April, 1921, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

R. N. TRUMAN & CO.,
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Shanghai, 26th March, 1921.

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By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary,
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To Whom It May Concern

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THE SHANGHAI GAS COMPANY LIMITED

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the offices of Messrs. Edward Ezra & Co., 14 Kiukiang Road, Shanghai on Thursday the 21st April, 1921, at 4 o'clock p.m.

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DANCING: Private lessons in modern dances given by experienced lady. Fox Trot, one step, two step and waltzes, etc. Apply Miss White, 459 Rue Eugene Bard.

36627 A. 5

DANCING: Individual instruction only. New York's latest wonderful, snappy Fox-trots, "Jazz" One-steps, Waltzes. Connie Hendry, Astor House Hotel.

36421 A. 1

HOUSES TO LET

TO LET, in Yangtseepoo district, attractive neighborhood, comfortably furnished small house, five rooms, bath, kitchen, telephone, etc. Apply to Box 1150, THE CHINA PRESS.

36646 A. 1

LOST

LOST, a lady's black leather bag, at Victoria Theatre, Saturday night. Please return to 73 Nanking Road, second floor.

36626 A. 1

STRAYED from 499 Avenue Joffre, Saturday afternoon, fox terrier; answers to name of Tim. Finder please communicate with above address (Tel. W. 38), where suitable reward will be gladly paid.

36596 M. 31

All Advertisements must be prepaid. Replies must be called for.

Classified Advertisements

2 Cents a Word. Minimum Charge 40 cents

SITUATIONS VACANT

AMERICAN (lady) general office assistant desired at once. Typing required, stenography desirable. Long experience not necessary. Address, stating qualifications, to Box 1148, THE CHINA PRESS.

36640 A. 1

INTERPRETER wanted by British lawyer. Reply, stating qualifications, to Box 1137, THE CHINA PRESS.

36621 A. 1

WANTED, experienced typist for part-time work in editorial and general business office. Apply in office hours, Chinese Recorder, 5 Quinsan Gardens.

36599 M. 31

SITUATIONS WANTED

CHINESE who has 16 years' experience in import and export business seeks responsible position. Knows good English and has good connections. Apply to Box 1158, THE CHINA PRESS.

36668 A. 2

A VARIED experienced Chinese seeks employment as typist, correspondent, interpreter, translator or secretary. Apply to Box 1157, THE CHINA PRESS.

36662 A. 1

EXPERIENCED Chinese typist, with good knowledge of correspondence, filing, mailing and general office work, at present employed, desires change. Salary Tls. 40. Apply to Box 1152, THE CHINA PRESS.

36648 A. 1

BRITISH, age 23, desires position in office. Has knowledge of general office routine, typing and filing. No objection to any output. Apply to Box 1144, THE CHINA PRESS.

36637 M. 31

POLISH civil engineer, graduated 1911 in Europe, open for position as building superintendent, reinforced concrete designer, road-builder, etc. Four years in China. Apply to Box 1142, THE CHINA PRESS.

36633 A. 1

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36643 A. 1

SALESMAN: position wanted by British youth, age 23. Has had 4 years experience, understands advertising, speaks Chinese, and is willing to travel. Apply to Box 1143, THE CHINA PRESS.

36637 M. 31

POSITION wanted by Chinese stenographer (beginner) with good knowledge of English, salary moderate. Apply to Box 1136, THE CHINA PRESS.

36620 A. 5

EXPERIENCED comrade wants engagement in a big firm. Apply to Box 1119, THE CHINA PRESS.

36553 A. 1

APARTMENTS WANTED

WANTED by bachelor, for sole occupancy, small four or five-room furnished bungalow with bath and all modern improvements. Rental to start immediately and last until Fall, but will lease for one year if necessary. Communicate with Room 220 Astor House.

36661 A. 2

HOUSES WANTED

WANTED, eight-roomed house or larger, furnished or unfurnished, central, western district, or French Concession. Apply to Box 1088, THE CHINA PRESS.

36481 A. 5

APARTMENTS

Connaught House

8 Quinsan Garden

Vacant April 1st, one attic room.

Apply MRS. G. FOLLOCK.

36649 A. 1

BOARD AND RESIDENCE

14 Quinsan Gardens

Telephone N. 482

To let, with board, large well-furnished room and bath. Suitable for married couple or two bachelors. All modern conveniences, garage, and stabling. Apply to Box 907, THE CHINA PRESS.

TO LET, large well-furnished room with bathroom and verandah attached. Excellent cuisine. Use of telephone. Terms moderate. Apply Mrs. M. Kelleg No. 22D Range Road.

36659

TO LET, with board, large furnished room with private bath, suitable for married couple or two bachelors. Please apply to 28 Carter Road, or West 1912.

36649 M. 31

ROOM TO LET. Apply 1 Young Allen Terrace; telephone, N. 2042.

36653 A. 5

LARGE, beautifully furnished room, and private bath, geyser, telephone, best food in Shanghai. Suitable for two or three gentlemen. References required. Available April 1st. Apply 18 Quinsan Gardens.

36641

WELL-FURNISHED room, with excellent board, to let at No. 103 Bubbling Well Road; Phone west 805 or call personally.

36657

TO LET, well furnished room with private bathroom and verandah. Apply 3 Young-Alten-terrace.

36644 A. 1

VACANT, two most attractive, comfortably furnished flats, garden, served in private apartment, garden, tennis, fine garage. Real good home. Apply to Box 1141, THE CHINA PRESS.

36632 M. 31

FURNISHED rooms to let, private bathrooms, with board. Apply to Box 1138, THE CHINA PRESS.

36624 A. 1

TO LET, in private family, furnished rooms, with board, suitable for married couples and bachelors. Use of telephone. Apply N. 11 North Szechuen Road, between 12-3 p.m. and 5-7 p.m.

36601 M. 31

TO LET with American family, two furnished rooms with verandah, bathroom and gascooker; can be made into housekeeping flat or two bedrooms. Monthly \$30 each, 23B. East Seward Road. Entrance opposite 32.

36575 M. 31

NICELY furnished room with private bath, full board. Excellent locality. Full value for your money. Apply to Box 1092, THE CHINA PRESS.

36488 M. 30

HOUSEKEEPING apartment of two rooms or more, all modern improvements, steam heat, very best in city. Apply 51 Szechuen Road.

35987

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET

FURNISHED HOUSE to let, Wayside district, Apply to Box 1129, THE CHINA PRESS.

36628 A. 1

TO LET, a third floor with nine rooms, suitable for offices, located at the corner of Szechuen and Hankow Roads. Inquire 66 Szechuen Road, upstairs.

36643 A. 6

Amusement Advertising will be found on

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OFFICES, ETC., TO LET

OFFICES TO LET, Finest location in Shanghai. Two or three rooms, sub-divided. Suitable for doctor, dentist, general business. Inquire 565 Nanking Road, upstairs. Fox Film, corporation.

36564 A. 8

Office to let, 3 large rooms on 1st floor, 6 Foochow Road; also 2 large rooms, ground floor, 51 Szechuen Road; as a whole or will subdivide. Apply J. T. Hammond, 51 Szechuen Road.

36151

TO LET, large office space, ground floor, can be sub-divided into several offices, at 14 Canton Road. Apply to J. T. Hammond, 51 Szechuen Road.

35944

GODOWNS, part or whole, to let in central district. Apply to L. Y. Lang, No. 8 French Bund.

35938

GODOWNS, TO LET

TO LET, large light office ground floor, with small godown. 7B Kiangsee Road.

36663 A. 2

EXCHANGE AND MART

WANTED, second-hand billiard table, 10 by 5, in good condition, with cues, balls, etc. Apply to Box 1151, THE CHINA PRESS.

A. 2

FOR SALE. Motor truck, German Opel, 4 1/2 to 5 tons. Apply 457 Rue Eugene Bard.

46455

FOR SALE, excellent building site on Kungling Road. Two mow with over 240 feet road frontage. Foreign title deed. Apply to Box 1153, THE CHINA PRESS.

36651 A. 6

KULING. For sale, small bungalow; two bedrooms, one dining room, large bathroom, pantry, and servants' quarters. Magnificent view. Complete lot. \$2,000. Apply to Box 1155 THE CHINA PRESS.

36654 M. 31

NEEDLES, new RUSTLESS B&W TWEEES British sewing needles, just arrived, (size 0 to 12, price \$3.00 per thousand). Sole Agents, Probat, Hanbury & Co., Ltd., No. 10 Nanking Road.

36121

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36121

SHEETING, best quality 98" bed sheeting (Three Fish brand) pieces 44 yards, price \$2.50 per yard pieces only). Probat, Hanbury & Co., Ltd., No. 10 Nanking Road.

36121

MADAPOLAM, Tootal's Sealed Madapolam No. T.33 and No. T.22, price \$5 per piece of 12 yards. Apply Probat, Hanbury & Co., Ltd., No. 10 Nanking Road.

36121

LONGCLOTH, Horrockses' 36" longcloth No. 500, \$30.00 per piece, 40 yards. Probat, Hanbury & Co., Ltd., No. 10 Nanking Road.

36121

FOR SALE, Underwood No. 5 typewriter, small type, in excellent condition. A bargain. Apply to Box 1145, THE CHINA PRESS.

36635 A. 1

WANTED, wardrobe trunk and suitcase or bag. Kindly state full particulars and selling price. Apply to Box 1140, THE CHINA PRESS.

36631 A. 1

FOR SALE, twelve-cylinder Packard touring car. Price Tls. 3,750 or near offer. Apply to Box 1135, THE CHINA PRESS.

36592 M. 31

Commercial Bank of China
Head Office: SHANGHAI

Head Office: SHANGHAI

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital . . .	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
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Chief Manager.

**The Chinese American
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Authorized Capital G. \$40,000,000
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 Manager.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital \$60,000,000.00

Paid-Up Capital .. \$12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund ... \$1,298,522.60
Special Reserve
Fund \$1,898,898.62

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SUNG HAN-CHANG.
Manager.

Shanghai, 15th February, 1919.

1	Soudan, London	Apr.	4
1	Sulwo, Hankow	Mar.	31
2	Suiyang, Hongkong	Apr.	7
1	Tatung, Hankoio	Apr.	7

5	Tehhsing, <i>Hankow</i>	Mar.	31
1	Tenyo Maru, <i>Hongkong</i> ..	Apr.	6
6	Torilla, <i>Calcutta</i>	Mar.	31
7	Tuckwo, <i>Hankow</i>	Apr.	3
1	Venezuela, <i>S. Francisco</i> ..	Apr.	1
2			

2	Whangpu, <i>Hongkong</i>	Apr.	2
1	W. Montana, <i>Hongkong</i> ..	Mar.	31
1	Wosang, <i>Hankow</i>	Apr.	6
4	Woosung, <i>Hankow</i>	Apr.	6
2	Wuchang, <i>Hankow</i>	Apr.	1
6	Yamashiro M., <i>Japan</i>	Apr.	3

3 Ylingchow, Hongkong Mar. 31

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST Yesterday's Prices

Stock	Quotations
H. K. and S. B.	8840
Chartered	571 1/2
Russo-Asiatic	Rs. 260
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H. 5455
North China	Rs. 188
Union of Canton	H. 527 1/2
Yokohama	Rs. 25
Far Eastern Ins.	Ts. 21 B.
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H. 5125 B.
Hongkong Fire	H. 527 1/2
Shipping	
Indo-China, Def.	H. 5265 B.
Indo-China Pref.	H. 525 B.
"Shell"	100/- B.
Shanghai Tug. ord.	Ts. 42 1/2 B.
Shanghai Tug. pref.	Ts. 36 1/2 B.
Mining	
Kapikong	Ts. 29 B.
Oriental Cons.	Ts. 17
do	H. 5070 B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H. 5188 B.
Shanghai Dock	Ts. 140 B.
New Eng. Works	Ts. 25 1/2
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Ts. 182 1/2 B.
Hongkong Wharf	Ts. 95 B.
Land and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	Ts. 80 B.
Shanghai Land	Ts. 79
Welshwell Land	Ts. 8
Shanghai Hotel Ltd.	Ts. 55 B.
China Realty ord.	Ts. 50
China Realty pref.	Ts. 50
Cotton Mills	
E-w (ord.)	Ts. 360 B.
E-w (pref.)	Ts. 37 1/2
Laon-kung-mow	Ts. 335
Oriental	Ts. 14 B.
Shanghai Cotton	Ts. 116
Kungyik	Ts. 30 1/2 B.
Yangtzepoo	Ts. 23 1/2 B.
Yangtzepoo Pref.	Ts. 05
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Ts. 25
China Sugar	Ts. 280 B.
Green Island	Ts. 13.60
Langkats	Ts. 12 1/2 B.
Major Bros.	Ts. 5
Shai Sumatra	Ts. 92 1/2 B.
Stores	
Hall & Holtz	80 1/2 B.
Elwellly	88 1/2 B.
Turner Crawford	87 1/2 B.
Moutrie	84
Watson	H. 87.60 B.
Weeks	81 1/2 B.
Rubbers (Local)	
Rima	Ts. 2 1/2 B.
Amherst	Ts. 0.10 B.
Anglo-Java	Ts. 6 S.
Anglo-Dutch	Ts. 2 1/2
Ayer Tawah	Ts. 20
Batu Anam 1918	Ts. 0.40 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Ts. 1 1/2 S.
Bras	Ts. 0.30
Chemical United	Ts. 0.40 B.
Chempedak	Ts. 4
Cheng	Ts. 2 1/2
Consolidated	Ts. 1 1/2 B.
Dominion	Ts. 3 B.
Gula Kalumpung	Ts. 4 1/2 B.
Java Consolidated	Ts. 7
Kamunting	Ts. 1 1/2 B.
Kapala	Ts. 0.10 B.
Kapayang	Ts. 10
Karan	Ts. 7
Kota Bahroe	Ts. 1 1/2 B.
Kroowek Java	Ts. 6 B.
Padang	Ts. 6
Pengkalan Durian	Ts. 8
Permatia	Ts. 0.60 B.
Repah	Ts. 0.50
Samagaga	Ts. 0.45
Seekee	Ts. 1
Semambu	Ts. 0.45 B.
Senawang	Ts. 3 1/2
Shai Klebang	Ts. 0.30 B.
Shanghai Malay	Ts. 8
Shai Malay pref.	Ts. 3
Shanghai Pahang	Ts. 1
Sungai	Ts. 0.45 B.
Sungai Dur	Ts. 0 1/2
Sun Mangie	Ts. 3 1/2
Shai Kalantan	Ts. 0.35
Shai Seremban	Ts. 0.60
Talping	Ts. 0.60
Tanah Merah	Ts. 0.60
Tebong	Ts. 8 B.
Uluohi	Ts. 2 1/2
Zianghe	Ts. 2.60 B.
Miscellaneous	
C.I. & E. Lumber	Ts. 325
Gully Dairy	Ts. 9 1/2
Shanghai Trans.	Ts. 05 B.
Shanghai G.S.	Ts. 21 B.
Horse Bazaar	Ts. 40 1/2
Shanghai Mercury	Ts. 25
Shai Telephone	Ts. 95
Shai Waterworks	Ts. 120 B.

Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, March 30, 1921

Exchange and Bullion

Sovereigns: buying rate, @ 3/1 = Ts. 6.49

@ exch. 72.7 = Mex. \$5.92

Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate @ 60% = Ts. 1.65

@ exch. 72.7 = Mex. \$2.26

Mex. Dollars: Market Rate: 72.4125

Shanghai Gold Bars: 978 touch Ts. 361

Bar Silver 998 touch ... Ts. 111

Copper Cash ... per tael 201.2

Native Interest ... Ts. 06

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver ... 33 1/2 d.

Bank Rate of Discount ... 5%

Ex. Paris London ... Fr. 6 1/2

Ex. New York on London ... T. 7

G. 3.93 1/2

Exchange Closing Quotations

London ... T.T. 2/1

London ... Demand 3/1 1/2

India ... T.T. 235

Paris ... T.T. 880

Paris ... Demand 833

New York ... T.T. 60 1/2

New York ... Demand 60 1/2

Hongkong ... T.T. 75

Japan ... T.T. 79

Batavia ... T.T. 182 1/2

Singapore ... T.T. 75

Bank's Closing Buying Rates

London ... Demand 3/2 1/2

London ... 4 m.s. Cds. 3/4

London ... 4 m.s. Docy. 3/4 1/2

London ... 6 m.s. Cds. 3/5 1/2

London ... 6 m.s. Docy. 3/5 1/2

Paris ... 4 m.s. 980

New York ... 0/d. Docy. 63 1/2

New York ... 4 m.s. Docy. 63 1/2

Tourists' Exchange

£10 @ exch. 3/2 1/2 =

Sh. Ts. 61.93

G. \$50 @ exch. 63 1/2 =

Sh. Ts. 78.74

Fr. 250 @ exch. 930 =

Sh. Ts. 26.88

1 Shanghai Tael = Mex. \$1.35

at Bank's selling rate for Mexican Dollars.

ROUBLES EXCHANGE

Today Banks Buying Rate

For Roubles:

Roubles 34,000 = Ts. 100

100 = Mex. \$9.40

BANKS SELLING RATE FOR MARKS

Marks 3,500 = Ts. 100

100 = Mex. \$3.97

Lira Exchange

Shanghai, March 30, 1921

Latest Bank Selling Rates:

It. Lire 14.75 = 1 Tael

Equivalent Foreign Quotations:

It. Lire 95.45 = 1 Pound

Sterling

It. Lire 24.25 = 1 U.S. Dollar

It. Lire 169.05 = 100 Fr.

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR MARCH

Hk. Ts. 5.63 @ 3/2 1/2 =

£1

" 1 @ 863 Fr. 9.61

" 1.46 @ 61 1/2 Gold \$1

" 1 @ 78 Yen 1.42

" 1 @ 248 1/2 Rs. 2.73

" 1 @ 16.20

It. Lire 18.05

" 1 @ 1.50 Mex. \$1.50

" 1 @ Roubles —

Anglo-French Land Investment Co. Meets

The fifteenth annual general meeting of the Anglo-French Land Investment Company, Ltd., held at the offices of A. R. Burkill and Sons, agents, at 2 Klunkang Road yesterday afternoon, was marked by the passing of a final dividend of Tael 4 per share, making a total for the year of 7 percent. Satisfactory progress was made in building during the year and an increase in net earnings for the company.

The meeting was fairly well attended, by shareholders representing 3,524 shares. Mr. A. W. Burkill, chairman of the board of directors, presided, with Directors C. Holliday, E. S. Kadoorie, Gilbert Davies and Liu Chang-yin in attendance.

The chairman's speech follows: "Gentlemen: The report and accounts having been in your hands for some time, I will follow the usual course and take them as read."

"Owing to the sale of the property in Nanking Road no comparison of the accounts with those of the previous year is of value but the wisdom of disposing of this estate is reflected in the balance of working account which is nearly Ts. 10,000 larger than that for the previous year, and this in spite of proportionately higher charges due to increase in land tax on higher assessment, heavier cost of water, lighting etc."

"As you have been informed in the report, a considerable amount of building has been done during the year, a further portion of Estate E has been rebuilt and the rebuilding of Estate F is now in hand. The latter will be completed shortly and the remainder of Estate E is about to be rebuilt. The completion of the old houses in the only a few of the old houses in the French Concession taken over on

Stock Exchange

Shanghai, March 30, 1921

Transactions

Official

Langkats (Com.) Ts. 12.75

Almas Ts. 3.50

Consolidated Ts. 1.45

Chinese Eng. & Ming "B" Ts. 29.00

Far Eastern Insurance Ts. 22.00

Shanghai Cotton Ts. 117.50

Yangtzepoo (Ord.) Ts. 23.25

Kung Yik Cotton Ts. 37.00

Shanghai Docks Ts. 139.00

Yangtze Insurance \$25.00

Ts. 114.00.98

Resolution No. 3.—Proposed by Mr. Gilbert Davis, seconded by Mr. Liu Chang-yin:

That Mr. A. W. Burkill be re-elected a director of the company.

Resolution No. 4.—Proposed by Capt. N. Carlton, seconded by Mr. Alton:

That Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews be re-elected auditors of the company.

Sharebrokers' Association

Transactions

Shanghai, March 30, 1921

UNOFFICIAL

Oriental Ts. 14.60

S.M.C. 7% Debs 132 1/2

Ts. 93.50

Telephones Ts. 86.00

Hankow Market

The British Chamber of Commerce of Hankow write as follows in their weekly circular dated Hankow, March 23.

FINANCE AND MONEY MARKET

Business was again very dull with few Bills offering and no demand for Remittance Tails

T.T. on Shanghai rose to 97.225.

Dollars did not fluctuate very much and are now quoted @ 70.

—70.2 buyers and sellers respectively. Native Interest 4 percent.

EXPORTS

The market shows signs of living up, but apart from some business in Sesamum Seed and some Cotton for Shanghai, still remains quiet. There are enquiries for other produce but at prices too low to permit of business being done at present.

Seeds, Tallow & Wood Oil are all weaker in the local market as also are Dry Cowhides, but any slight decline in price has been offset by the recent rise in Exchange. Supplies of Goatskins are still scarce owing, as reported last week, to the Season being practically over.

IMPORTS

Piece Goods:—The market continues dull with little or no business doing. A few sales from stock are reported.

Yarn:—Clearances are brisk.

LANSING'S STORY APPEARS SERIALLY

'Wilson Second Only to Clemenceau,' Says Former Secretary, in Writing of Conference

San Francisco, March 20.—Former Secretary of State Robert Lansing's long expected story of the Peace Conference is now appearing serially in the Saturday Evening Post.

In the first installment he pointed out that Premier Clemenceau was the biggest figure at the Conference.

The second installment is devoted to President Wilson.

Mr. Lansing declared that the President arrived at Paris with no specific program other than the League of Nations, he kept the American delegation in darkness concerning the proceedings, attempted to become the sole arbiter of his country's policy, and "the fact is, that the commissioners gained practically all knowledge of the progress of the Council from the gossip of the staffs of other delegations."

He declared that Clemenceau's materialistic motives and shrewd practical methods succeeded better than Wilson's idealism. "Yet the latter's personal influence with the delegates, and his success in incorporating the covenant whatever may be thought of its provisions, entitles him to second place only to Clemenceau."

Concerning the doctrine of balance of power, which France had advocated, he said "the Japanese were equally willing to unite in an equal guaranty, upon the condition that the country obtained, and was protected in its possession, of the German rights in Shantung, and the sovereignty over the German colonies in the Pacific north of the Equator. Though I am convinced, that Japan would never have withdrawn from the Conference or abandoned her position as one of the five great powers, whatever the disposition of her claims."

FIGURES EARTH'S AGE 500,000,000 YEARS

Man On This Planet Only Some Tens Of Thousands Of Years

Paris, Feb. 7.—The earth is about 500,000,000 years old, according to Abbe Theodore Moreux director of the observatory at Bourges. He holds that for half that time there has existed on its surface some form of life but that man can boast of only some tens of thousands of years of ancestry in direct line. In the life of this little globe he is, even in his most primitive form, a very recent arrival.

The conclusions of Abbe Moreux are given in an article on the earth, which he contributes to the Petit Journal. Some of the Abbe's deductions and estimates are not new, but he advances his whole theory of the age of the earth and the possible duration of life, human and otherwise, with the support of many new facts and discoveries.

He has compromised to some extent between the theories of the astronomers and the geologists, in arriving at his estimate of the world's age. The former, working on modern theories about energy and heat, had come to the conclusion that one hundred million years ago was about the time that the earth formed itself into a compact mass such as we know it. The geologists are of the opinion that the solid world is much older than that and the Abbe declares that the latest theories about the sun support them. He, therefore, gives his vote for five hundred million years.

The next question which the Abbe attacks is the period in which the world cooled down sufficiently to allow the appearance on its surface of the phenomenon of life. Taking account of the latest geological and other discoveries, the Abbe says that in his opinion the temperature of the globe fell to between 45 degrees and zero about 250,000,000 years ago.

At that period, he believes, the moon was not the dead body that it is now, but was a kind of little sun which helped the big sun to warm up and light the earth. This kindly action of the moon, the Abbe thinks, explains the fact that at some periods of the earth's existence the poles enjoyed a tropical climate.

In estimating his last date, that of the advent of man in an upright position the Abbe may be prejudiced by the fact that the most recent estimate was made by a German scientist in 400,000 years. All the fossil, the Abbe asserts, show that this estimate is preposterous, and all the age that the Abbe gives the human race is some tens of thousands of years which, at the least, is a more generous allowance than that given by the authors of the Pentateuch.

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threats of rain. S.E. to S.W.
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monsoon, in the South.

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McCLUSKEY. On March 25, 1921,
at Victoria Nursing Home,
Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs.
Harry C. McCluskey, a son.

The New Tuchuns' League

A concrete example of the greediness of China's militarists in grabbing powers is recorded by the announcement of the formation of the Yangtze Tuchuns' League, consisting of the provinces of Kiangsu, Anhui, Honan, Kiangsi, Hunan, Szechuen and Hupeh under the leadership of Wang Chuan-yuan of Hupeh.

As late as March 22, general Wang officially denied the report of the formation of what was then described as the Six Provinces' League—Hupeh, Kiangsi, Szechuen, Hunan, Yunnan and Kweichow. Reports were current at that time that a pact had been signed by representatives of the militarists of these provinces in Wuchang for mutual support.

The exclusion of Kiangsu and Anhui, located along the Lower Yangtze, was considered by followers of the Chinese political muddle as significant. It was assumed that Wang would have nothing to do with Chi Shih-yuan and Chang Wen-sung, the tuchuns of the provinces named, because he was geographically in a better position to control the six along the Upper Yangtze.

The report was received by Peking with no little uneasiness and Major-General Mei Hsin, Military Advisor to the President, on March 20, was sent to Hupeh to arrive at an understanding with Wang. His mission resulted in a circular telegram sent out by Wang denying the report mentioned, and reaffirming his loyalty to the Central Government.

The telegram carried by yesterday's CHINA PRESS from Hankow was the first news that the new league, in which the two provinces along the Lower Yangtze were included, had been formed. Honan, where Generals Wu Pei-fu and Feng Yu-hsiang are stationed, is also included, it will be noted, while Yunnan, the isolated province under a comparatively unknown war lord and Kweichow, are, for the moment at least, out of it.

That Wang is pushing through a large scheme cannot be denied. But notwithstanding the recent denial, it is more than likely that just these seven provinces are concerned. Wang's ambition following the fall of the Anfuites is well-known.

With Chang Tso-ling and Tsao Kun in North China playing havoc with their soldiery and the military administration in Canton reaching the status of a de facto government, Wang probably realizes that leadership is sadly lacking in Central China. He is attempting to assume this leadership. So when the Anfuites fell, his immediate goal became the Inspector-Generalship of Hupeh and Hunan. This appointment was given to him. He declined it, giving as his motive the chaotic state that the Hunan affairs were in.

Chao Hung-ti's conciliatory attitude towards the General Government, however, gave Wang the golden opportunity to extend

his power. Chao, as commander-in-chief of the forces in Hunan, Tschun and Civil Governor and holder of every other high office in Hunan lacks money.

Wang negotiated with Chao. Several millions are said to have been demanded by the latter for military expenses before proclaiming his allegiance with the North. Peking offered only \$500,000.

Meanwhile, Wang conceived this idea of a League of Central Provinces, nominally for defensive purposes—against the bandits, if you please.

Negotiations with Chao are now said to be almost complete. Peking is to pay \$500,000 down. Wang is to assume his Inspector-Generalship of Hunan and Hupeh at once. Chao is to appoint his own Civil Governor. His nominee is to be either Tan Yen-kai or Hsiung Hai-ling. A new office is to be created by Wang in Yochow—the Defence Commissioner of Yochow—to look after Wang's interests in Hunan. Wang's nominee is Yen Hsiang-wen.

The local disturbances among the militarists in Szechuen, Yunnan, Kweichow and Kiangsi has encouraged Wang to ally himself with one clique or the other and the wires between Wuchang and these provinces have been kept hot with terms of negotiation for the last two months. In the midst of this chaos, Wang found himself in a position to dictate conditions and the formation of a league is the result.

This league, we take it, is, for one thing, formed with the idea of stopping Chang Tso-ling from sending Chang-Hsun, the confirmed monarchist, south.

Correspondence

GERMANS AND EXTRATERRITORIAL RIGHTS

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir—The much discussed attempts of the Peking Government to abolish extra-territorial rights in China, the various articles on the subject in the press and the view which Young China today holds on the matter, all serve to bring to my recollection a talk with an old Chinese Official exactly two years ago.

It was at the time when the Germans were deported from China and were concentrated in the different depots to await the ships which were to take them back to their homeland. I had gone to the "Embarcation Depot No. 1" in Nantao to bid farewell to an old friend of mine, a German. It happened that I had to wait in the camp official's office for some time and naturally our talk soon turned on Germans, their deportation, etc. I remarked that I was surprised that he had only four soldiers to take care of his enemies and of those only three were armed but had no cartridges. I asked if he was not afraid of unruly people amongst the crowd for which he was responsible; also I mentioned that the Municipal Council apparently took matters much more seriously than he did as they had called out the Volunteers and had machine guns to show the Germans that also outside of their country "militarism" was in full swing. The old gentleman laughed and said: "The Germans behave splendidly, they keep discipline amongst themselves and I really have no cause for any anxiety. I am not their enemy and they know it. If you people over in the Settlement take a different view, that is your own concern and if you make such a show of machine guns, volunteers, etc. to march a crowd of people mostly women and children off to the boats you only make exhibitions of yourselves. One day you will bitterly regret your action."

"You foreigners have enjoyed special rights in China and your action will now prove to the average Chinaman that foreigners do not deserve special rights but can be treated just as the Chinese are. This deportation business is the first step towards the abolishment of your extra-territorial rights which you help on by your short-sighted policy. The time will soon come when you will have no special rights in China."

That was in March 1919 and today the old man's prophecies are on the way to become facts. It is a strange coincidence that those people who then advocated the wholesale deportation of the Germans, today appear to be frightened out of their wits because their rights in China are endangered.

The Germans were the first to be practised on by the Chinese. The Russians came next, and we can only blame ourselves for any further action the Chinese Government takes in the matter of extra-territoriality.

Yours truly,
Justice.

Editor's Note: The above argument does not appear sound. The extra-territorial rights of foreigners are in no danger. The Germans will recover their rights in the respect when their government makes peace with China. This also applies to the Russians. In any event, the Germans lost these rights when China declared war on Germany, which was long before the deportation took place and deportation had nothing whatever to do with it.]



"BOYS WILL BE BOYS"

"And even that," I interposed, "wouldn't matter if we could only prevent girls from being girls."

Anthony Hope.

And from the "Funny Flat For Follies" article that appeared in THE CHINA PRESS yesterday that is just what the Follies in China are attempting to do.

ISAAC BICKERSTAFFE SAID:

"We should marry to please ourselves, not other people" in his quaint work "Maid of the Mill."

BUT PEKIN PATRIARCHS SAY:

No girl students shall marry without first getting the consent of their parents.

So young lady, if you wish to marry,

Pray thank for a moment—aye tarry.

The boy may be nice.

With ways that entice.

But ask father for Harry

Before you marry.

DISRAELI SAID:

I have always thought that every woman should marry—and no man. And when Socrates was asked whether it was better to marry or not to marry he remarked:

"Whoever you do you will repent."

ST. PAUL SAID:

"A woman's hair is her glory" And even if the Peking Patriarchs cannot claim acquaintance with the great Christian teacher they are at one with him in trying to put a stop to bobbed hair atrocities.

But Mary said: "Daah!"

With fearful ferocity.

"Let me be rash.

"I'm a bobbed haired atrocity!"

"I earn my cash.

"And with woman's verbosity."

"Speed with the lash."

"With record velocity."

Where?

AND A. A. MILNE SAID:

Her feet just skimmed the ground.

When men were around,

She was Pavlova.

The Walkover Store must change its wares. Those dainty little bits of leather that make such a pointed appeal to the ladies must be replaced with patterns somewhat more commodious for the "Funny Flat" has gone forth:

"No! girl students are not to bind their feet."

TO THE MAIDENS

Maiden! with the meek brown eyes

In whose orb a shadow lies,

Why, say why, these frequent sighs?

Thou whose locks outshine the Sun,

Bobbed tresses wreathed in one,

Tell me, tell me, why no fun?

"Sir, I am so heat, petite,

Some say that I'm pretty, sweet,

But I cannot bind my feet."

Gaze I with timid glance,

Scared to make the least advance,

E'en to ask the maid to dance.

Then she said "I cannot wed,

Cannot clip my little head,

And after fourteen no Co-ed."

"But I'll take him unaware,

Win him with my wile and snare,

Marry him! See if I care!"

Wage Reduction Is Ruin :- By Viscount Haldane

London, Feb. 19.—Has the time come when, in the best interests of business, the wages of workers should be reduced?

It is by no means difficult to make out some sort of a case for a reduction which will merely keep pace with the ascertained fall in the cost of living and will take the form of a merely proportional and temporary substantial reduction.

Many employers hold that since—in their view—wages increase in their view—wages increase were granted to meet the rise in the cost of living, they should automatically fall as living becomes cheaper. Also they protest that they cannot possibly carry on their business while the wage bill is so heavy.

On the other hand, Labor declines more or less flatly to countenance or even consider any reduction, presents arguments in opposition, to the proposals, and, in many quarters, promises trouble if the attempt to carry it out is made.

In the matter of this kind, neither complaints of the rich nor the threats of the poor can have much influence over the mind, and one is concerned to know where in such a tangle of contradictions the path of justice can be found.

"A BETTER ORDER IS HERE"

In all this discussion, there is one fundamental thing which appears to me to have been overlooked. It is this, that the old social order is passing away and that a new and better order is already with us—not in one country alone, but in most of the world.

Everywhere the workers have determined to secure and are in the act of securing a better kind of life for themselves. It is not that they desire simply more money, than they have had before, though an adequate wage is naturally a part of their demand. But beyond this they are asking and obtaining that the good things of life—learning, music, art and the like shall no longer be the monopoly of a small section of the people. They ask, and they do well to ask, that they shall have their share of these things.

They demand, in other words, that the gap which has hitherto separated the manual workers from the rest of the people shall be narrowed, that the dignity and importance of manual work shall be recognised and that, it shall receive its fair share of the reward.

Some of the results of the war have helped them to make their demands effective. There was a time when wealth and leisure belonged almost exclusively to the landed gentry, but today the landed gentry, as a class, are disappearing.

Land owning in the old fashion has become expensive instead of profitable, and the old race of land owners, with its traditions and stiff prejudices and aloofness, is passing away.

Some of the traditions of that race were altogether admirable, but there was more than a tendency to regard the good things of life as the prerogative of the well-to-do. Between those people—who were often so excellent in themselves—and the workers, there existed a gap which nothing, it seemed, could bridge.

OLD TRADITIONS NO MORE

Today the power of wealth has passed from the land owners to people of a different kind. Between those who at present are wealthy and the workers there exists no gap which cannot be bridged, since the old barriers of tradition are down. And the workers are determined that the gap shall be bridged.

That does not mean that they are seeking for wage equality. The workers know that some kinds of work are worth higher wages than other kinds. Increasing multitudes of them are realising that, although manual labor is necessary, yet mind is the thing that counts in the end.

They realise that there must be men at the head of affairs, men whose special mental power and trained intelligence deserve payment at a far higher rate than that given to those who perform the manual work. And I do not believe that when the new order is fully come there will be any jealousy of the higher wages which these men will certainly receive. There will be understanding, recognition—and contentment.

Contentment is the thing which the workers lack today. It was said to me the other day that the trouble with miners is that they are in a permanently bad temper. And that is not far from being the case with the workers in every other industry. For so long they have been looked down upon and exploited and denied the good things of life.

Today they find themselves coming into possession of their deferred inheritance, and they are intensely suspicious of anything which looks like an attempt to take it from them. And for that reason any proposal for a general reduction of wages is bound to meet with violent opposition.

WHAT MAKES HAPPINESS?

As I was saying just now, the new social order has arrived.

What we have to do is to confirm and establish it. The workers are realising as never before that money is not the most important thing in life. They are realising what those things are which are good, which make for real happiness.

Especially are they realising that that full education which only begins when school days are over, and continues the whole of life, may be gained by the manual worker as readily as by any of the rest of us.

It is to their—and our—recognition of that fact that I look for the peace and prosperity of the future, for the re-establishment of commerce, founded upon the secure contentment of the people.

For it is necessary to remember that the prosperity of any nation cannot rest on any other foundation than popular contentment. While discontent rules, commercial stability is out of the question.

There is a movement with which I am deeply concerned for true education among workers and it has made splendid progress. I have become more and more impressed with the power and more splendid promise of this authentic renaissance of learning which is spreading a kindling flame through the minds of the millions.

I have attended meetings where Tyneside workers listened eagerly, even hungrily, while they have been shown how they themselves can obtain the great treasures of learning, of miners who have confessed that already they are students of Spinoza and Schopenhauer, of gatherings of workers in the East End of London seeking the way to knowledge.

This movement, concerning which little has ever been published, seems to me, as to many others, to be one of the greatest facts in today's history of our people. And it has its vital bearing on the problems of the present.

THESE BRING CONTENTMENT

The educated man is the contented man and the honestly working man. He has laid hold on life. He moves on a plane far above mean suspicions, petty jealousies, unworthy expedients. Knowledge has made him free.

His job may be laborious—as many of my own occupations are—but he knows that it is necessary, that it is honorable service to the State, so he carries it out to the very best of his ability, and wins by performing it the

right to his hours of joyful search for yet more knowledge.

My experience proves that many of the workers in every industry, and everywhere are hungry for knowledge. It is to them one of the things of which they were deprived in the past, which they now begin to see that they may freely possess. They have seen the vision.

And that has a direct bearing on this question of wage reduction. Any such proposal must immediately suggest to them an attempt to thrust them back into their old condition of life. It suggests that they are again to be treated as chattels of their employers rather than as fellow servants with them of the community, and it gives ground for resentful suspicion.

It prepares the way for endless strikes, for deliberate underproduction, for every trade-hammering maneuver of which the workers are capable.

NOT PROSPERITY BUT RUIN

That is not the way to prosperity but to ruin.

But if we will open still wider those gates through which they have begun to pass, if we will freely admit that the new order has come, if we will see capital as nothing but a fellow servant in industry with the inventing and organising mind and the manual worker, then we shall have our feet upon the way of peace.

When true education is the possession of the majority rather than the minority of workers, prosperity and happiness will be established.

It is said that employers are declaring that with wages at their present level they cannot compete with the goods produced by the workers of other nations. That is entirely their own affair. It is possible that in individual cases a temporary adjustment may be necessary. In such an event I suggest that the workers should be taken fully into the confidence of the employer, and that all the facts of the position should be explained to them.

But employers could do a great deal more than they have done in the past by the adoption of better methods and more labor-saving machinery. If a man cannot make his business pay, it is frequently his own fault, and before he begins to think of making money by reducing the wages of his workers, he might with advantage ask himself whether he ought not to reduce his own wages.

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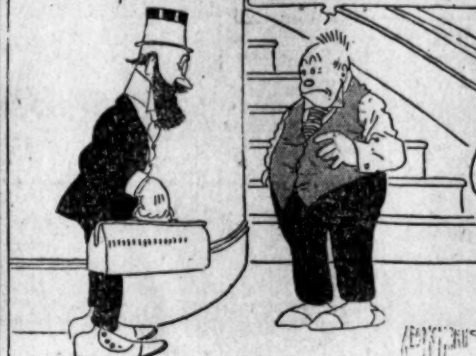
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Her Wasted Evening—By Frederic Boutet

(Translated by William L. McPherson)

The portly Mme. de Thermasse, at whose house the fête was to be held, had given Simone the most precise instructions. "He will come as a Carthaginian general," she said. "The general had a name, but I don't remember it. He is a tall young man, dark complexioned, with a somewhat sleepy air, but wide-awake enough, all the same. He has twelve

millions, my dear little friend. He is an orphan, and would make an ideal husband. But, you see, everything depends on you. He wants to be loved for himself alone—this young bachelor does. He is sentimental and literary. He has been handicapped in his love affairs because of his money. He would like to marry, but is afraid to. If he thinks that you know he is a catch there will be nothing doing. So you must meet him at my ball.

by accident, as it were. Give him a chance to talk to you. Charm him. That will not be difficult, for you are intelligent and you are pretty. But avoid dangerous subjects. Not a word which would lead him to suspect you know anything about his position or his money. If he is introduced to you try to make it appear that you didn't hear his name. He must believe that he has made a conquest without your guessing who he is. You understand me, don't you? I have told you all this a little crudely. But you know I love you. It is an occasion which you mustn't let slip.

"Thank you, thank you, dear friend," Simone's mother was a widow, very worldly, ambitious and energetic. She had been campaigning for two years to marry off her daughter, who was good-looking enough, but lacked a dot. She kissed Mme. de Thermasse's cheek, fat hands and bubbled over with gratitude. "You are a providence—for us, as always. Simone will show herself worthy of your confidence. She will succeed. You will succeed. Simone won't you?" Simone knitted her brows and reflected. "I hope so. I will do my best."

"Above all, dear child, don't forget that he will be a Carthaginian general. He will wear a robe, I think. Do you know what a Carthaginian general's costume is like?" "She ought to," the mother replied. "Otherwise it was time and money wasted keeping her at school until she was sixteen."

Amidst the throng at Mme. de Thermasse's costume ball Simone was now looking for her Carthaginian. "He is here; I have seen him," the stout hostess had whispered to her. Her mother had slipped away into the cardroom and she was free to operate in peace. Eluding invitations to dance, she pushed through the crowd, always alert and attentive. Her heart beat fast. She was very anxious to succeed.

Her costume—Autumn Dew—offered a striking contrast to her own dazzling youthfulness. She was, that evening, much more beautiful than her costume, with her thick hair (as reddish brown as her eyes) strewn with crimson leaves and scintillating dewdrops; with her dead-white skin, like a poorly drawn, and the supple grace of her figure accentuated by the changing and vanishing tones of the silk gown she wore. A little tired from having prospected everywhere, she had stopped near the door of a big gallery in which

there was dancing. Suddenly a timid voice asked her for a turn. She faced about and felt her heart throb violently. The man who spoke to her was tall, with a pale face and black hair, the latter encircled by a blue headband. He wore a painted robe, a short cloak and high shoes with purple laces. "It's he," she said to herself, wondering at the good fortune which had thrown in her way the one person she had been looking for. She took mechanically the arm offered to her.

The thought that she had to make herself attractive embarrassed her at first. She was so accustomed to the other idea—that she must defend herself against those whom she pleased so well. She didn't know what to say. But her lack of ease must have appeared as an added charm to her companion. Moreover, the ice was soon broken. They found something to laugh over. It was the sight of a gawky "May Rose," who waltzed furiously in the arms of an infatuated schoolboy grotesquely dressed as a druid. A stout priest dripping with perspiration, but very grave, who had taken off his triple crown and was talking about the Balkan situation with a Louis XI wearing spectacles, also diverted them.

From that point on they became good comrades and danced with less restraint. They discovered that they were marvelously in accord, having the same tastes and the same repugnances, after the manner of young people who strike up friendships. Having talked about others, they began to talk about themselves. Simone avoided personalities. She kept her mind on her great objective. But, little by little, she attained a degree of self-confidence which she had never felt before.

In a low and guarded voice the Carthaginian was paying her discreet compliments. He showed intelligence and wit, and, in addition, a sincerity and vivacity which seemed to be struggling through a habitual reserve. Already a certain intimacy of feeling had been established between them.

They took supper together, tete-a-tete, at a little side table. After supper, fleeing the cotillon and the reception rooms, still well filled in spite of the early departures, they wandered into the winter garden.

They sat down there in the shadow of some big, moistly fragrant plants. Her head whirling with the intoxication of her success, Simone allowed herself to be lulled by the tender phrases which he whispered. She felt perfectly happy. Never had any man who had murmured words of love to her moved her as she was moved by this one, who pleased her more than any other, and whom she already loved. And it was such an extraordinary piece of luck.

He took her hand. He mirrored his black eyes in her big brown eyes, with glints of gold, and suddenly he asked her if she would marry him. The young girl's cup of happiness was full. She made no answer. But he felt her delicate fingers tighten about his. He bent forward. His lips just grazed hers. But already she had risen to her feet and drawn away a step or two. He also got up. Both were trembling a little. For a moment neither spoke.

"It has been a beautiful ball," she said, to break the silence. "What pretty costumes!" "Yes," he answered, "Especially yours."

"Mine is very simple. But you—you are so magnificent as a Carthaginian general." He smiled. "Thank you for the compliment. But I'm not a Carthaginian general. I'm a Byzantine emperor!" He stopped. She had given a start of terror and surprise. "A Byzantine! You are a Byzantine emperor! Mon Dieu. Mon

Dieu! I made a mistake. It isn't coquet with you. It was real, I assure you. It became real. What she was so panic-stricken that a misfortune! Mon Dieu! What a she forgot all about the necessity misfortune!"

She ended by telling him how happy she would have been to love him and marry him if he had only been rich. Listening to her, he grew paler and paler. His miserably dejected widow and ambitious; her own air contrasted strangely with his thrifty for luxury; their shabby general life, the necessity of a rich marriage; the assistance given them by Mme. de Thermasse; the little conspiracy of that evening—the projected captivation of a young man in the costume of a Carthaginian general, whom she was to make fall in love with her without appearing to know who he was.

She talked fast, in broken sentences. The tears rolling in brilliant drops down her cheeks and falling on her breast, added to the verisimilitude of her costume. "Forget me. Forget me, I can't, you see. I can't. But I didn't

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In speaking of infant feeding, it is necessary first to make it understood that there is no perfect substitute for mother's milk, and that bottle-fed babies have only a third of the chance of nursing babies in coming through the first year. A baby should never be put on the bottle until the doctor has said it is necessary, and in such a case his reason for advising the change will probably be that something is seriously wrong with the mother.

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lactose, or milk sugar, protein, or curds, and salts. These things are all absolutely necessary if the child is to develop normally. The fat and sugar in the milk are necessary for the growth of the body and to produce heat, and the protein makes the body cells grow, including those of the blood, the muscles and the internal organs. If it is possible at all, the baby should have these elements in the form which Nature provided for him at least during the first three or four months, because in this way he will be given the proper start, and also because artificial feeding is most dangerous at this time. The quality of the baby's food depends considerably upon the care which the mother takes of herself, and she should have a diet both simple and generous, including plenty of fluids, and not too much meat. Sour fruits, pastry and most desserts should be avoided.



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THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 1921

Date and Destination	Fw	Chl	Br	USA	Fr	Jap	Rail
TODAY.							
H'kong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Nankin	11.00	..	..	..	..	10.30
H'kong, S. Ports, Straits, Ceylon, India & Europe via Suez	Nankin	11.00	..	..	..	..	10.30
River Ports	Train & Str.	11.00	..	..	..	..	10.30
Hongkong and Canton	Nile	16.00	..	..	..	..	15.30
Singapore via Hongkong Nile	17.00	..	..	..	..	..	16.00
Viadivostok and Siberia via P. & F.	17.00	..	..	..	..	..	16.00
Swatow, H'kong, C'ton	Tungshing	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Swatow and Hongkong	Tungshing	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Chefoo	Kungting	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Wenchow	Taishan	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Hongkong	Sunning	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Viadivostok	Train	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Ningpo	Kiangtse	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Tientsin	Train	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Hankow	Train	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
TOMORROW.							
Swatow, H'kong, C'ton	Chenan	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Swatow and Hongkong	Chenan	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Manila Direct	Venezuela	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Japan Ports	Chikugo M.	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
River Ports	Train & Str.	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Hongkong	Nile	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Swatow	Chikugo M.	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Viadivostok and Siberia	17.00	..	..	..	..	..	16.00
Chefoo	Sakaki Maru	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Chefoo	Yusang	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
U.S.A. via Seattle	*W. Montana	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Swatow & Hongkong	Teau	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00

Saturday, April 2.	Tungchow	9.00	8.30	..	..	..	8.30
Japan, Canada, U. S. A., and Europe	E. of Asia	10.00	..	..	..	..	9.30
Nassau, Kobe, Yama, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	E. of Asia	10.00	..	..	..	..	10.00
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	Train & Str.	11.00	..	..	..	..	10.30
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	E. of Asia	15.00	..	..	..	..	14.00

Sunday, April 3.	Nankin	16.00	..	..	..	..	15.30
Japan, via Kobe	Kamo Maru	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
Swatow, C'ton & T'ain.	Koonshing	14.00 18.30	..	..	..	..	13.30
Manila direct	Cross Keys	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30

Monday, April 4.	Nankin	21.00	..	..	..	..	20.00
Hongkong and Canton	Shikang	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
Japan Ports	Shikang	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
Hongkong	Shikang	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
U.S.A. & Europe via	Nankin	16.00	..	..	..	..	15.30

Tuesday, April 5.	Shuntien	14.00 18.30	..	..	..	..	13.30
Japan Ports	Yamashiro	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30

Wednesday, April 6.	Nankin	11.30	..	..	..	..	11.00
Japan, Honkoku, Canada, U. S. A. and Europe	Tenyo M.	12.00	..	..	..	..	12.00
Japan, Honkoku, Canada, U. S. A. and Europe via	Tenyo M.	12.00	..	..	..	..	12.00
Amoy and Hongkong	Soochow	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00

Thursday, April 7.	Soochow	8.00	..	..	..	..	7.30
Friday, April 8.	Kumano M.	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30

Saturday, April 9.	Yingchow	10.00	..	..	..	..	9.30
Sunday, April 10.	Khyber	16.00	..	..	..	..	15.30

Monday, April 11.	Shinyo Maru	11.30	..	..	..	..	11.00
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	Monteagle	10.00	..	..	..	..	9.30

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. Luenho, 2,558 Tons, Captain Reid, will sail for the above mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, March 31, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Wuchang, Capt. A. Torrible, will leave on Saturday, April 2, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. Esang, 1,782 Tons, Captain Christie, will sail for the above mentioned ports from Old Ningpo Wharf on Saturday, April 2, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. Tuckow, 3,770 Tons, Captain Campbell, will sail for the above mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, April 5, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

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For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The S.S. Kiangnan, Capt. D. D. Ross, will leave on Thursday, March 31, at 3:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

AMOY, H'KONG AND CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Sunning, Capt. H. A. Wavell, will leave from the French Bund on Thursday, March 31, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

NINGPO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Hsin Peking, Captain J. Oundney, will leave from the French Bund on Friday, April 1, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

W'CHOW, H'KONG & CANTON.—The Steamer Tashun, Captain Halkett, will leave on Friday, morning, April 1. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

S'HOW, H'KONG, CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s S.S. Tern, Capt. Wm. McDonald, will leave from the Watung Wharf on Saturday, April 2, at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

SWATOW, HONGKONG AND CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s S.S. Tern, Capt. Wm. McDonald, will leave from the French Bund on Saturday, April 2, at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s S.S. Tern, Capt. Wm. McDonald, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Tuesday, April 5, at 8 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

AMOY, H'KONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Eochow, Captain D. R. Davies, will leave from the French Bund on Thursday, April 7, at 9 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

SWATOW, H'KONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Yingchow, Captain G. Byers, will leave from the French Bund on Saturday, April 9, at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

For Northern Ports

CHEFOO & NEWCHANG.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Sunning, Capt. H. A. Wavell, will leave on Thursday morning, Mar. 31. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

ANTUNG.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Huichow, Captain —, will leave from the Watung Wharf on Friday, April 1, at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

TIENSIN DIRECT.—The S.S. Tientsin, Captain —, will leave on Friday morning, April 1. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

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WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Tungchow, Captain Harris, will leave from the French Bund on Saturday, April 2, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

NEWCHANG.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Ichang, Capt. J. A. McCulloch, will leave on Sunday, April 3 at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, Tel. No. 77.

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VLADIVOSTOK DIRECT.—The s.s. Yungshin, Captain Poolka, will be despatched from Shanghai on Sunday, April 10. The tender conveying Mail and Passengers will leave the French Bund on Thursday, March 31, at 2 p.m. the same day. For Freight or Passage, apply to L. V. Lang, No. 8 French Bund. Phone Nos. Central 4702 and 3059.

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Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
Apr. 1	—	New York via Suez	Kandahar	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 1	—	Portland, Ore.	Coxet	Am.	Adl. Line
Apr. 1	—	Seattle	W. Montana	Br.	Adl. Line
Apr. 2	5.00	Vancouver	E. of Asia	Am.	C. P. O. S.
Apr. 2	—	San Francisco	Tenyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Apr. 2	—	Vancouver	Montezuma	Am.	C. P. O. S.
Apr. 15	—	San Francisco	West Jona	Am.	S. & Dix
Apr. 15	—	Seattle	West Jona	Am.	S. & Dix
Apr. 16	—	Portland, Ore.	Beaumont	Am.	Ch. P. Co.
Apr. 20	—	New York, ports	Durban Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 23	—	San Francisco	Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 24	—	San Francisco	+Nile	Br.	China Mail
Apr. 24	—	Seattle	Kashima Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 25	—	New York via Suez	K. Companion	Am.	Adl. Line
Apr. 26	—	Seattle, ports	Golden State	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 28	—	New York	Montezuma	Am.	Adl. Line
Apr. 30	—	Vancouver	E. of Russia	Br.	C. P. O. S.
Apr. 30	—	San Francisco	+Shinyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
May 5	—	New York v. Suez	Robert Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
May 6	—	Portland, Ore.	Montezuma	Am.	Adl. Line
May 7	—	Seattle, ports	West Jessup	Am.	S. & Dix
May 10	—	New York, ports	Harold Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
May 17	—	New York v. Suez	+Nile	Br.	China Mail
May 20	—	Seattle, ports	Wenatchee	Am.	Adl. Line
May 21	—	Vancouver	E. of Japan	Br.	C. P. O. S.
May 21	—	San Francisco	+China	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
May 25	—	New York v. P'ma	Melville Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
May 25	—	Vancouver	E. of Asia	Br.	C. P. O. S.
June 18	—	Vancouver	Montezuma	Am.	C. P. O. S.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Apr. 2	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Chikugo M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 2	—	Kobe	Kamo Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 3	—	Nagasaki, Kobe, Y'hama	Nigata Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 5	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Alderman	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 6	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 12	—	Nagasaki, Kobe, Y'hama	Kasuga Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 13	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omura Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 15	—	Nagasaki, Kobe, Y'hama	Takeshima M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Mar. 31	noon	London	+Nankin	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Mar. 31	—	Liverpool, ports	Ningchow	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 31	—	Antwerp, ports	Keenan	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 1	—	London, ports	Sino Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 1	—	Hamburg, ports	Alderman	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 5	—	London, ports	Easterling	Am.	Adl. Line
Apr. 7	—	Liverpool, ports	Montezuma	Am.	Adl. Line
Apr. 7	—	Hamburg, ports	Thesus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 11, 10.00	—	London, ports	+Chili	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Apr. 11	—	London, ports	Kitano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 11	—	London, ports	+Khyber	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Apr. 13	—	Bombay	+Dunera	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Apr. 14	—	Glasgow, ports	Ajax	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 14	—	Antwerp, ports	Atrous	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 21	—	Hamburg, ports	Elpenor	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 25	—	London, ports	+Soudan	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Apr. 28	—	Antwerp, ports	Perrhus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 29	—	Bombay, ports	Dilwara	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Apr. 21	—	London, ports	Matsuyama Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 9	—	London, ports	+Nagoya	Br.	M. M. & Co.
May 18	—	Hamburg, ports	Boerco	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Mar. 31	—	Hongkong & Sapore	Nile	Br.	China Mail
Mar. 31	3.30	Ningpo	Klangteen	Chl.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 31	3.00	A. H'kong, Canton	Sunning	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 1	5.00	Ningpo	Esia Nanchao	Chl.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Apr. 1	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Chl.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Apr. 1	—	D.L. S. H'kong, Canton	Tungshing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 2	—	W'chow, H'K, C'ton	Tanabun	Chl.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 2	—	D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Yuanang	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 2	—	D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Chenau	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 2	—	Manila & Hongkong	Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 4	—	Manila & Hongkong	Cross Keys	Am.	A. Line
Apr. 5	8.00	Hongkong & C'ton	Sinkiang	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 7	9.00	H'kong, C'ton	Kashima Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 7	—	H'kong, C'ton	Soochow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 8	11.00	S. H'kong, C'ton	Yungchow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 11	—	Manila & Hongkong	Shinyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Apr. 11	—	Manila & Hongkong	Golden State	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 15	—	Hongkong, Manila	Melville Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Apr. 25	—	Hongkong, Spore	China	Br.	China Mail
Apr. 28	—	Hongkong, Manila	Wenatchee	Am.	A. Line
Apr. 30	—	Manila, Hongkong	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Mar. 31	—	Chefoo, Newchwang	Kunming	Chl.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 1	—	Tientsin	Hulchow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 1	—	Tientsin	Tungwan	Chl.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 2	—	D.L. Dairen & Tientsin	Yuanang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 2	6.00	Tientsin, Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S.M.R. Co.
Apr. 2	—	D.L. Tientsin	Yingchow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 2	21.00	W'wei, C'foo, T'ntsin	Tungchow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 3	—	D.L. Newchwang	Ichang	Br.	B. & S.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Mar. 31	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangnan	Chl.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 31	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 31	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tehshing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suwo	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 2	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Esang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 2	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 3	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfong	Chl.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 4	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangsu	Chl.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 4	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Alen	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 5	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 5	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Changon	Chl.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Apr. 5	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckow	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 5	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Shengking	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 6	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangnan	Chl.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 6	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wosung	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 7	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chl.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 7	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wosang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 7	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br.	B. & S.

CARRYING MAIL

A. M. M.N.—MIDNIGHT D.L.—DAYLIGHT

Information for Mariners

THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 1921

High Water at Woosung Bar (The morning tides are higher than the evening tides, they are about equal after noon and midnight).

Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h. fall, at springs 1 1/4 h; at neaps, 7 1/2 h.

Time	52m.	54m.	56m.	58m.	1m.	1m.
Rises	0 22 a.m.	1 13 a.m.	5 53 m.	6 16 m.	6 58 m.	7 1 m.
Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai	For March 30.17 in 766.5 mm.					

C. N. C. CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD. YANGTSE RIVER & CHINA COAST PORTS. FAST SCHEDULE SERVICES.

FOR CHINKIANG, NANKING, WUHU, KIUKIANG AND HANKOW

S.S. "POYANG" sails March 31st, midnight.
S.S. "LUENYI" sails April 1st, midnight.
S.S. "WUCHANG" sails April 2nd, midnight.

Steamers connect at Hankow with the Company's sailings on the Middle Yangtze and Hunan Lines.

FOR WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENSIN.

S.S. "TUNGCHOW" sails April 2nd, at 10 a.m.
S.S. "SHUNTIAN" sails April 5th, at 3 p.m.

FOR HONGKONG AND CANTON via SWATOW AND AMOY.

S.S. "TEAN" sails April 2nd, at daylight.
S.S. "CHENAN" sails April 2nd, at daylight.
S.S. "SINKIANG" sails April 5th, at 8 p.m.

FOR ANTUNG

S.S. "HUICHOW" sails April 1st, at daylight.

FOR NINGPO.

S.S. "HSIN PEKING" sails at 4:30 p.m. every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Steamers connect at Hongkong with services to the Philippines, Indo-China and Australian Ports, also to Bangkok and Singapore.

The above steamers have Electric Light throughout and are fitted with Electric Fans and Steam Heaters in State Rooms and Dining Saloons and are otherwise completely equipped for the comfort and convenience of Passengers.

For further particulars regarding Sailings, Passage Rates, etc., see "The Taikeo Shipping Gazette" or apply to

Tel. Nos. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, French Bund.

Passengers: Central No. 401. Freight: Central No. 77.



EMPRESS OF ASIA

SAILS FOR VANCOUVER SATURDAY, APRIL 2. Tender ALEXANDRA, with outgoing passengers and hand baggage only, will leave Customs Jetty at 5.00 p.m. Heavy baggage must be delivered at Co.'s Godown before 3 p.m. Friday.

SAILINGS

TO VANCOUVER VIA NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA

	Leave Shanghai	Leave Yokohama	Due Vancouver
Empress of Asia	Apr. 2	Apr. 9	Apr. 18
Montezuma	Apr. 11	Apr. 17	May 1
Empress of Russia	Apr. 30	May 7	May 10
Empress of Japan	May 20	May 26	June 7
Empress of Asia	May 28	June 4	June 13
Montezuma	June 18	June 24	July 8
Empress of Russia	June 25	July 2	July 11

GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS

N. Y. K.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA

(Japan Mail Steamship Co.)

Under Mail Contract with the Imperial Japanese Government
Sailings From Shanghai (Subject to Alteration)

EUROPEAN LINE MAIL SERVICE

Marseilles, London and Antwerp via Hongkong, Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Suez and Port Said:
KITANO MARU 16,000 Capt. K. Inatsu, April 11
INABA MARU 12,500 Capt. K. Hayashi, April 25

EUROPEAN LINE CARGO SERVICE

For Marseilles and Liverpool via Ports:
KAMAKURA MARU 12,500 Capt. Y. Kawashima, Middle of May

For London, North Continental Ports via Ports:
FOR VICTORIA AND SEATTLE Via Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama.

KASHIMA MARU 19,000 Capt. K. Itano, April 24
SUWAGA MARU 21,000 Capt. M. Machida, May 15

FOR VICTORIA AND SEATTLE (Sailing from Kobe).
KATORI MARU 19,000 Capt. K. Yoshikawa, April 10

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, NEW YORK AND BOSTON Via Panama.

Calling Japan Ports
DURBAN MARU 10,000 Capt. E. Takahashi, April 20

FOR SOUTH AMERICAN (Sailing from Kobe).
For Buenos Ayres, Santos, Rio de Janeiro via Durban and Cape Town:

KAWACHI MARU 12,500 Capt. J. Tsuji, April 23

FOR YOKOHAMA VIA NAGASAKI, MOJI AND KOBE.

NIIGATA MARU 4,000 Capt. B. Matsukusa, April 5
KASUGA MARU 7,000 Capt. M. Nakamura, April 12

TAKEKISHI MARU 4,500 Capt. T. Takechi, April 15

FOR KOBE AND OSAKA VIA MOJI (Osaka may be omitted).

CHIKUGO MARU 5,500 Capt. M. Tsuruga, April 2

YAMASHIRO MARU 7,000 Capt. T. Kumakura, April 6

KUMANO MARU 9,500 Capt. K. Kobayashi, April 9

OMI MARU 7,000 Capt. S. Shiratori, April 13

FOR KOBE DIRECT.

KAMO MARU 16,000 Capt. K. Egawa, April 4

FOR HONGKONG.

KASHIMA MARU 19,000 Capt. K. Itano, April 7

FOR MANILA AND HONGKONG.

FUSHIMI MARU 21,000 Capt. R. Shimizu, May 17

FOR AUSTRALIA (Sailing from Hongkong).

For Manila, Zamboanga, Thursday Is., Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne:

NIIMKO MARU 10,000 Capt. J. Kusano, April 19

AKI MARU 12,500 Capt. G. Shinozumi, May 17

TANGO MARU 14,000 Capt. S. Salto, June 21

The Company also runs numerous steamers from Japan to China and Korean ports and Vladivostok, and also between the principal ports in Japan.

For freight, passage and further information apply to

I. MATSUDAIRA, Manager, Nippon Yusen Kaisha.

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FOR STRAMEN LOADING on/or about

Rotterdam, Amsterdam and Hamburg "Alderman" April 15

Rotterdam, Amsterdam and Hamburg "Boer" May 18

Rotterdam, Amsterdam and Hamburg "Alcor" June 18

Rotterdam, Amsterdam and Hamburg "Alchiba" July 18

For full particulars please apply to:

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BARBER STEAMSHIP LINES, INC.

FOR NEW YORK AND BOSTON

S.S. Mulpura April 28th

FOR LONDON-ANTWERP-ROTTERDAM

S.S. Easterling April 5th

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For Seattle—via Japan Ports

U.S.S.B. S.S. WEST IVIS April 15th

U.S.S.B. S.S. WEST JESSUP May 7th

For New York—via Suez Canal

For information on rates, etc., apply to

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Shanghai, China. Tel. Cent. 5017 and 5018

L. EVERETT, Vice President. W. B. Lust, Agent.

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Shipping Items

The S.P. a.s. Tehling left

Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The I.C. a.s. Suiwo left

Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. a.s. Luenyi left

Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. a.s. Kiangfoo left

Marseilles and ports on Monday.

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S.S. "NANKIN" March 31st
S.S. "KHYBER" April 11th
S.S. "SOUDAN" April 25th
S.S. "NAGOYA" May 9th

FOR BOMBAY via STRAITS AND COLOMBO

S.S. "DUNERA" April 13th
S.S. "DILWARA" April 29th

FOR CALCUTTA DIRECT FROM HONGKONG

S.S. "TORILLA" April 16th
S.S. "TAKADA" May 3rd

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S.S. "EASTERN" April 6th
S.S. "KANOWNA" May 2nd
S.S. "ST. ALBANS" May 25th

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S.S. "BEARPORT" April 16
S.S. "WEST KADER" May 7
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Tons Capt. Arrive Leave.

*BURMA MARU 9,000 S. Kobayashi Apr. 11 Apr. 13

NEW YORK LINE, For San Francisco, Panama and New York via

Japan Ports.

*HONOLULU MARU 15,000 K. Hirano, June 13 June 15

PUGET SOUND LINE, For Victoria, Seattle Tacoma, and Van-

couver via Dairen, Kobe and Yokohama.

ARABIA MARU 18,000 K. Komiyama, Apr. 14 Apr. 16

FOR HONGKONG.

FOR NORTH CHINA PORTS, For Dairen via Tientsin

FOR FORMOSA, For Takao via Keelung.

FUKUKEN MARU... 5,000 Y. Fukami, Mar. 21 Apr. 2

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April 11. The tender Whangpoo

with passengers will leave the

French Mail jetty at 10 o'clock

the same morning and heavy bag-

gage must be delivered to the

Company's Office before 5 p.m.

on April 9.

The China Mail s.s. China is

due to sail from San Francisco

today and is expected to arrive

in Shanghai by way of Honolulu

and Japan ports on April 24.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu left

Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The I.C. s.s. Kutwo left

Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Nankin left

Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The I.C. s.s. Koonshing is ex-

pected to arrive in Shanghai from

Tientsin and Chefoo tomorrow.

The I.C. s.s. Kwongsang is due

in Shanghai from Pukow today.

The I.C. s.s. Kwalsang is ex-

pected to arrive in Shanghai from

Calcutta, Straits and Hongkong

April 5.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinming left

Tientsin for Chefoo and Shanghai

on Tuesday.

The B.I. s.s. Takada left Cal-

cutta for Straits, Hongkong and

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Saturday, April 2nd.—Superior Household Furniture and Accessories in Salesroom at 10 a.m.
Saturday, April 2nd.—A splendid collection of Postage stamps in upper Salesroom at 2.30 p.m.
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Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Messrs. H. P. Wadman, L. C. Ramage, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Beddington, Misses Wadman, Millican, Archer, Chen (4), Chang.
Per C.N. s.s. Hunan from Swatow: Capt. Price.
Per I.C. s.s. Luenho from Hankow: Mr. G. Butland, 11 Naval Ratings.
Per C.N. s.s. Poyang from Hankow: Messrs. L. A. Levy, Fraser, Wake.
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Sado Maru from Japan: Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gun, Messrs. Kushimoto, Kane-yoshi, Morita, Okada, Okubo, Iwanaga, Shimada, Shinagawa.

Passengers Departed

Per S.M.R. s.s. Kobe Maru for Daihen: Messrs. D. T. Hanscom, N. C. Matter, Paur, H. von Bruck, L. M. Petrovsky, Bourlin, A. T. Cauper, N. Afawonef.
Per C.M. s.s. Hsinking for Tientsin: Mrs. J. E. Glen and 2 infants, Miss G. Glen.
Per K.M.A. s.s. Kwangping for Tientsin: Messrs. Creed, Prior.
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Omi Maru for Japan: Mr. J. D. Birrell, Mr. Chang, Mr. Parrott.
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Sado Maru for London: Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Singer and 3 children, Mrs. Chapman and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. Smith and infant, Mr. W. Robertson, Mrs. B. Greenblatt and 2 children.

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender Gutzlaff conveying passengers and baggage on board the P. and O. s.s. Nankin will leave the Customs Jetty at 12 noon.

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TONIGHT at 9.15 p.m. TONIGHT

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